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TWENTY BADLY INJURED INTREMENDOUS LOSS OF LIFE FRACAS AT TO KWA WAN IN JAPANESE RAINSTORM

VARSITY MATCH DRAWN
Three Centuries: A Tight Duel
The Oxford-Cambridge match ended in a very even draw. Three centuries were made, nearly eleven hundred runs were scored. Oxford led on the first innings by fifteen runs, Cambridge making 400. At the close, Cambridge needed 103 to win with seven wickets in hand. Details in Page Eight.

FEEDER BUS FOR PEAK TRAM
MR. D. E. CLARKE RETICENT
WHOLE QUESTION IN THE AIR
Interviewed this morning regarding the Telegraph suggestion of a feeder service of motor buses as a cheap alternative to extending the Peak tramway down to the Peak, Mr. D. E. Clarke, of Messrs. J. D. Humphreys and Co., general manager of the Peak Tramway Co., declined to express his views on the proposal.

"The whole question," he said, "is still in the air."
Asked if the Company intended to approach the military authorities regarding acquisition of land which would be necessary for any extension of the tramway, Mr. Clarke stated that nothing had yet been done in the matter. The Company's Directors would not doubt consider the whole question in due course.
Mr. Clarke added, in reply to another question, that no special meeting of the Board of Directors had been called to consider the subject.
Asked for his opinions on the various proposals which had been put forward, Mr. Clarke said he would prefer at this stage to express no views on the subject.

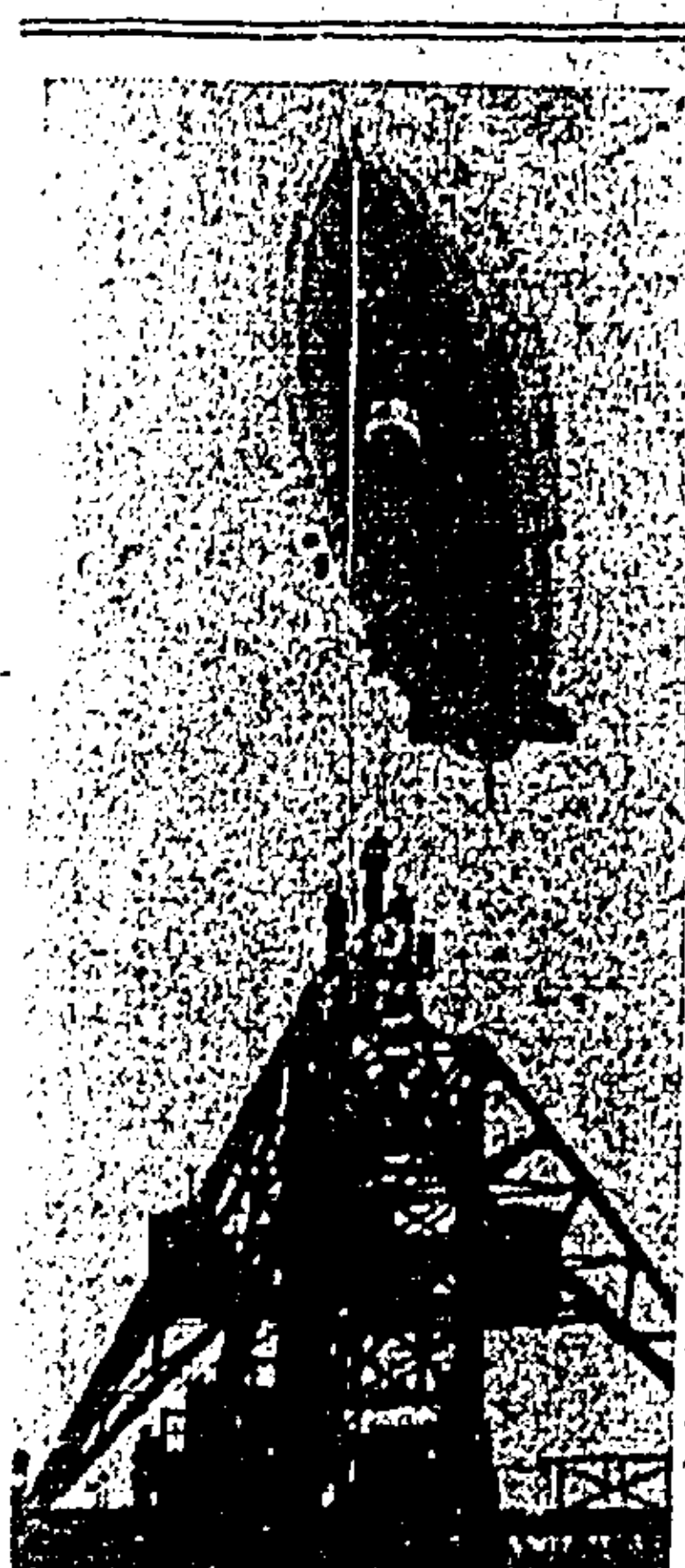
Typhoon Signal Up
DISTURBANCE NEAR COLONY
For the first time this year, the No. 1 warning signal was hoisted this morning, indicating a typhoon which may possibly affect the Colony.
The typhoon was notified at 10 o'clock this morning as being situated in Long, 117, Lat. 22, moving north-west. This places the disturbance about 200 miles due east of Hongkong.
If the typhoon continues to move on its present track, it should pass about 100 miles to the north and east of Hongkong.

WHOLESALE PRICES RISE
London, July 11.
An increase of 1.2 per cent. in the average of wholesale prices in June is revealed in the Board Trade Index number statistics. Decreases were shown in each of the three preceding months.—*British Wireless.*
Attacked by a number of other men outside the Shamshuipo Market, Lai Po-tai collapsed after getting away from his assailants in Pakhoi Street. He was conveyed to the Kowloon Hospital.

LOGAN AND AMPS' STONEYARD BATTLE
AIR ALIVE WITH FLYING ROCKS
HAKKA-NINGPO FEUD
Twenty men were admitted to the Kowloon Hospital yesterday afternoon as the result of the most serious clan fracas witnessed in the Colony for some considerable time.
Scores of others suffered lesser injuries, being struck by flying stones, but did not require treatment.
The To Kwa Wan stoneyard managed by Messrs. Logan and Amps was the scene of the outbreak, the combatants being the Hakka workmen on one side and Shanghai masons on the other. The yard is used for dressing stone in connection with the building of the New Hongkong and Shanghai Bank headquarters and early yesterday afternoon a dispute arose between two workmen over the possession of a certain piece of stone.
The dispute became general when other workmen joined in and sides were taken by members of the different groups.
In a few minutes the air was full of flying rocks and other missiles and in the general melee scores of the men were struck, several being badly hurt.
A message was sent to the Police who arrived on the scene without delay, and soon dispersed the warring workmen. Those who suffered dangerous knocks were taken to Hospital for treatment.
TWO HUNDRED ENGAGED.
Over two hundred men were actually engaged in the fight, with the rest looking on. The Hakka group are said to have outnumbered the Ningpo men by at least two to one, but the hospital records reveal that the Hakka men suffered most severely. About seven Ningpo men are in hospital, the rest being Hakka.
Stone-breaking implements were wielded by the combatants, in addition to the stone-throwing.

CONSULATE SHORTAGE
THREE CLOSED DOWN IN CHINA
COMPLAINTS BY TRADERS
London, July 11.
A complaint in the House of Commons at question-time today, suggesting that the closing down of British Consulates in China, due to a shortage of officials, was causing inconvenience to British traders, led to a reply that the Consulates will soon be re-opened.
Sir John Simon stated that there was a temporary shortage of competent officials owing to death, illness and resignation.
This situation had involved the closing of the Consulates at Newchwang on April 17, at Ichang on April 30, and Tsinanfu on May 4.
The Foreign Minister declared that, according to his latest information, there was reason to anticipate that the Consulate at Tsinanfu would be re-opened at an early date, that at Ichang in the autumn, and that at Newchwang

NAVAL ACTION
FISHING RIGHTS OFF NORWAY
MR. EDEN GIVES ASSURANCE
London, July 11.
Naval action is promised in the event of further interference by Norway with British fishing in international waters.
The Lord Privy Seal, Mr. Anthony Eden, today received from a delegation of the Hull Trawler Officers' Guild, at the Foreign Office, representations for protection against interference by the Norwegian authorities with the activities of British trawlers outside the three mile-limit off the Norwegian coast.
Resolutions requesting the Government to take immediate steps with the Norwegian Government to define the limit of international waters at three miles from low water mark and to ensure that such agreement would be honoured by the local authorities were presented.
NAVAL AID.
Mr. Eden expressed the greatest sympathy with the case put forward and said that within the last six weeks very strong representations had been made by His Majesty's Minister at Oslo to the Norwegian Government and a reply was expected very shortly.
If it were not satisfactory, or if no reply were received within a limited time, the Government were fully prepared to afford naval protection, certainly up to the limit mentioned in the agreement of November last, and possibly up to the three mile-limit.
In any case, an early visit of a British warship to the fishing grounds would be considered.—*British Wireless.*
NEW TRADE AGREEMENT
London, July 11.
The Anglo-Estonian Commercial Agreement was signed this afternoon by the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon; the President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Runciman; and the Estonian Minister in London, Dr. Kallas. The terms will be published later this week.—*British Wireless.*
not later than next Spring.
Meanwhile, Consular facilities in the districts affected were being supplied by neighbouring Consular posts.—*Reuter.*



A copyright United Press message from Washington announces that the American dirigible, Los Angeles, shown above at her berth, has been condemned by the Navy Department as unfit for flight.

GERNY SUSPICIOUS
POLICY CIRCLING THE CH?
SIMON-RTIOU AGREEMENT
in, July 11.
Germany views the results of the Simon-Barthou conversations with acute suspicion, criticism being based upon official reports of the nature of the verbal understanding reached.
France now has perfectly free hand in her policy of encircling Germany, with British support, bitterly resents the Berliner Tagblatt, being the general uneasiness a result of M. Barthou's visit to London.
A semi-official German diplomatic correspondent says that the Localisation of Europe enhances the international importance of the Soviet Red Army and concludes that France has achieved her aim of strengthening her preponderance in Europe and abolishing disarmament, with the intention of frustrating the restoration of Germany's equality.—*Reuter.*

THREATS OF EVICTION
LATEST CHAPOO DEVELOPMENT
CHEKIANG TAX
Shanghai, July 12.
A circular letter has been sent to landowners in Chappoo by the Chekiang provincial authorities, announcing that unless a forty per cent. tax on the assessed valuation of their property is paid by July 15, the owners will forfeit all rights and the property will revert to the Government.
French Mission property is affected by the demand and a serious situation threatens.
The foreign owners, it is believed, have declined to pay on the ground that the tax is illegal.
The construction of fortifications in the area is the excuse given for the demand by the authorities, who are continuing to dig trenches across the property of owners who have not paid the tax up to date.
It is rumoured that the Chekiang authorities intend to make use of military force to carry out the evacuation order after July 15 in cases where the refusal to pay is persisted in, but this cannot be confirmed.—*Reuter.*

TALK OF WANG CHING WEI RESIGNATION
Nanking, July 12.
It is widely rumoured that Mr. Wang Ching-wei, President of the Executive Yuan, signified his intention to resign at yesterday's meeting of the General Political Council.
The rumour is based upon a report that Mr. Wang Ching-wei urged the collective responsibility of the Executive Yuan for the scandal arising from alleged irregularities in a contract by the Ministry of Railways.
Report has it that a prominent official of the Ministry has been impeached by the Control Yuan.—*Central News.*

MORE DOG BITES
TWO FURTHER CASES REPORTED
Two further cases of people being attacked by dogs have come to the notice of the police.
In one case, a woman living at 29 Whitfield, was bitten in the right arm by her yellow chow whilst she was ascending the staircase. She received treatment at the Government Civil Hospital, the animal being removed to the Kennedy Town depot for observation.
In the other case, Lai Moon, a man living at Yaumati, was bitten by a dog, which was subsequently captured and removed to Mataukok depot for observation. The victim is receiving treatment at the Kowloon Hospital.

LONDON NAVAL TALKS
STATEMENT COMING ON FRIDAY
London, July 11.
In continuation of the Anglo-French bilateral naval conversations, experts attached to the British and French delegations were again in consultation today.
Sir John Simon, Foreign Secretary, said he proposed to make a statement on the subject of this week's conversations between himself and the French foreign Minister in London during the course of the foreign affairs debate in the Commons on Friday.—*British Wireless.*

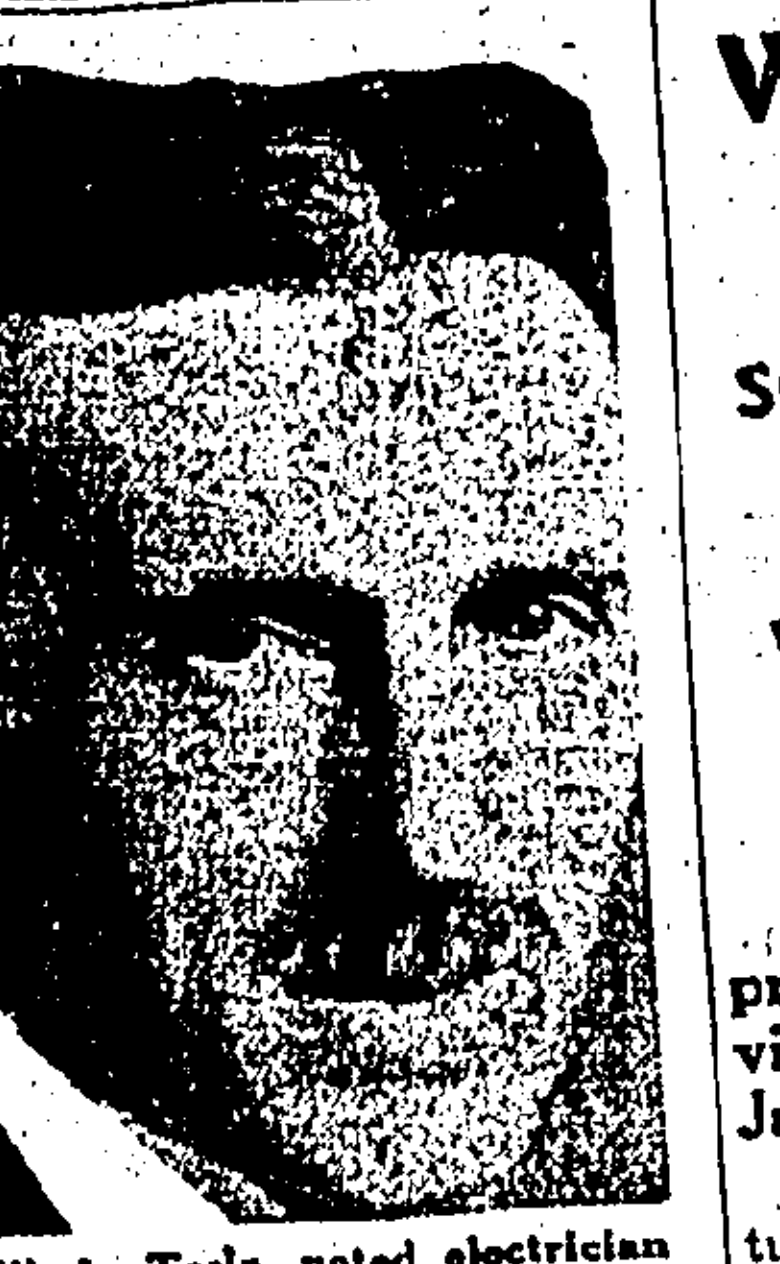
U.S. MARINES IN HAITI
TO BE WITHDRAWN IN A MONTH
Washington, July 11.
In accordance with President Roosevelt's executive order, the evacuation of U.S. Marines from Haiti will commence shortly.
Rear-Admiral Standley has ordered sufficient vessels to proceed to Haiti to provide transport for forty-seven officers and 517 men by August 15.—*Reuter.*

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SILVER MARKETS
LONDON AND NEW YORK ADVICES
Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following cable advices on the London and New York silver markets:
London, July 11th.—The silver market closed firm with buyers for forward at 20.15/16.
New York, July 11th.—Silver quotations approximated London parity. The market was inactive, but closed steady.
The destroyers Whithead and Vernon arrived from Weihaiwei this morning. H.M.S. Phoenix sailed for Weihaiwei to-day.

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Martial Law Reported Proclaimed
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It is reported from Nanking in today's China Press that martial law has been declared along the Shanghai-Kowloon-Tongshan section of the Peking-Mukden Railway, that the Japanese guards have been increased and that an armoured train has been sent out on patrol. The action follows reports that Communists are planning to destroy bridges to disrupt Sino-Japanese relations.—*Reuter.*



Nikola Tesla, noted electrician who announced yesterday that he is perfecting a death beam capable of wholesale destruction of armies, fleets and aeroplanes. He says he will present his invention to all nations, thus ensuring world peace.

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A Molyneux ensemble (left) includes a printed crepe gown in white, brown and yellow and a matching cape trimmed with coque feathers. Milosha's beach overalls (right) of black pique are worn with a printed handkerchief that crosses under the wide shoulder straps.

By Rosette Hargrove

Paris.—The midsummer fashion story is going to be one of modernistic prints, modernistic hats not to speak of unusual and original accessories.

Molyneux opened the mid-season summer shows with a number of delightful printed silk suits, suavely tailored and belted in coloured organdie. These belts have bowties and streamers, worn on the side, often matching the bow at the neckline. The effect on the sober prints which he stresses for afternoon wear is distinctly novel and a change from the rather ubiquitous white organdie, plain or patterned.

Flowers—those that grow out of the ground and those that grow from the finger-tips of the renowned French flower-makers—appear to have been adopted not only as an important decorative factor, but also as a theme for the new evening silhouette. The impression becoming a certainty when he tops a dress with a flimsy cape of huge scarlet chiffon poppies, black-centred.

Floral straps to evening dresses had already appeared early in

February, ranging from the narrow flat straps made of small flowers like panicles, narcissi and others, to the generous ropes of field flowers mingling poppies, marguerites, cornflowers, buttercups with even a few wheat ears thrown in suggested by Marcel Rochas.

Generous floral posies at the point of the corsage or at the waistbelt, often featuring the flowers suggested in the print in a natural or modernistic design or providing a vivid touch of art and colour to a plain chiffon or lace dress are perhaps more conventional, but still good.

Ardane goes one better, though, enrolling the assistance of a well-known florist to fashion neckties, bracelets, rings and earrings of fresh blooms for her mid-season showing. One of these sets was expressed in pale yellow ranunculus and blue hyacinth blooms on a pale yellow chiffon evening gown. Another mingled narcissus and white hyacinth on white lace.

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The mid-season shows undoubtedly will stress the large picture hat of fabric to match the dress or coat. Molyneux does this and so does Ardane. A blue and white dress and jacket ensemble at Rochas had an amusing tucked organdie jabot effect finishing the high neckline and a white-brimmed hat repeating the same handwork in the brim, also of organdie.

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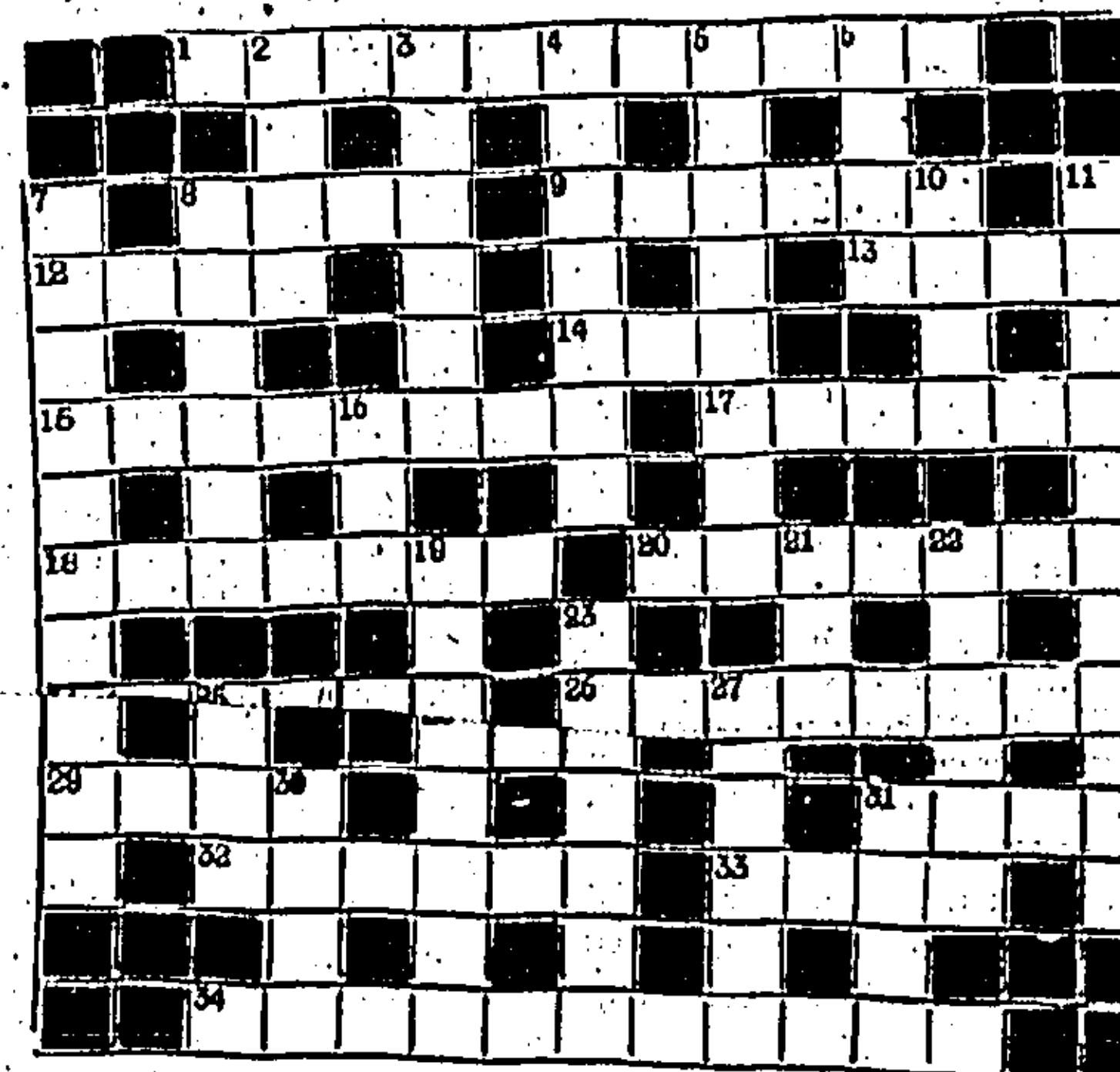
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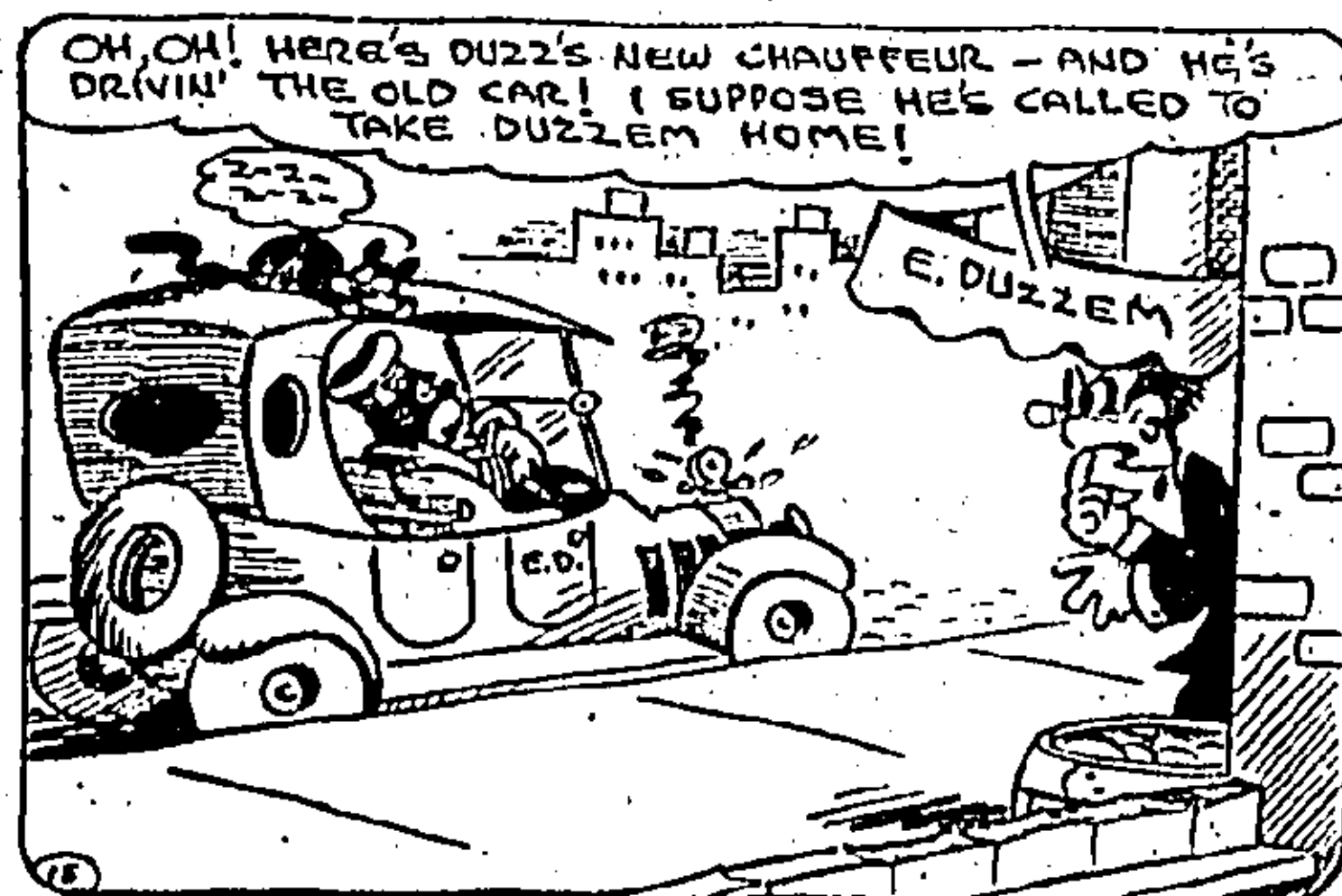
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CHAPTER I

"No, I'm not going with you and you know you don't mind," Jane, very slim and pink and defiant, hung over the banister at the top of the stairs and threw the words down at her waiting aunt.

"They invited you and you accepted. What will I say?" Miss Rosa Terry offered this question mildly, meanwhile fitting new white gloves on her plump white hands.

"Say I've got lots of pleasant things to do than go to their 'old tea'."

"What, for instance?"

"Tell Mrs. March that I'm right in the middle of 'Ann Veronica' and can't bear to stop. She won't let Louise read it."

"I'm to tell Mrs. March that although you said you'd come to her tea you are reading a book she disapproves of and couldn't bear to stop." The gloves were on now and Miss Rosa was turning in front of the long hall mirror. She was elegant in dark violet, with a white dotted veil, a violet toque with a white striped parasol with an ivory handle waiting on the table with her shiny dark purple leather handbag. She annoyed Jane, she was so comfortably serene.

"I don't care what you tell Mrs. March," Jane said angrily. "She's an old cat, and I won't go there to be looked at the way she looks at me and then picked over afterward. Who is she to make the rules for the young people of this town anyway? If she'd keep better tabs on her angel darling Louise, she'd have plenty to do instead of watching the rest of us."

"You're peevish because she told me you went off with Henry Berwyn at that last beach picnic and stayed from nine to eleven-thirty and were pert to the chaperons when they spoke to you about it. It was silly. You knew perfectly well you'd be talked about."

"I don't care if I am. I don't care what anybody says about me in this dump."

Miss Rosa picked up her bag and parasol, gave herself one last approving glance.

"If you don't care what people say about you, Jane, you can be very sure that people won't care what they say. And in a little city like Marburg where social circles are small and intimate everybody's always under observation. It can't be helped. The only places where you can do conspicuous things and not be conspicuous are desert islands or big cosmopolitan cities."

"You've said that before!"

"I'll probably say it again."

Don't think that I mind if you talk to Henry Berwyn for two hours and a half steadily, though it must have been a chore. He's such a dumb boy. I know perfectly well you wouldn't have done it except you thought it would shock and bother the chaperons. You're too smart to enjoy being with Henry but you're not smart enough to see what a losing game it is to do something you don't enjoy for the sake of appearing odd and different and making people notice you and disapprove of you. It's just a form of vanity, my dear. With the last word Miss Rosa opened the front door and was on the other side of it before an answer could catch her.

Jane came dashing furiously downstairs but Miss Rosa had walked fast and as she reached the pavement she was fortunate enough to meet two ladies whom she knew, also dressed up and on their way to the March tea, so she proceeded on with them triumphantly, having managed to read Jane a lecture on the beach affair and escape without a scene. Miss Rosa Terry detested scenes, just as she detested a hard bed, a badly cooked dinner, a poor partner at whist, and scratches on her furniture; but in the 15 years since she had taken her brother's orphaned daughter to live with her—Jane was then a lovely, dimpled, willful five-year-old—she had never, not once, tried to correct or admonish Jane without drama. To-day Miss Rosa smiled to herself at her success in dodging all but the prelude. They had not reached the big act where Jane always threw up her hands and stormed and sobbed the she was the most unhappy girl in the world, that no one cared what she did or how she felt.

Through the old-fashioned ruby glass side panel of the door Jane watched Miss Rosa out of sight angrily. "Old people are horrible," she thought confusedly. "They don't want anybody young to be happy." She had expected that her aunt would urge her to go to the tea and really she wanted to go and show off her new gorgon, a startling black and scarlet which she'd insisted on having though Miss Rosa and the dressmaker had begged her to choose either pale yellow or Nile green. Of course, she could skip into the dress and appear late at the Marches, but then Aunt Rosa would say, "Oh, I knew you'd come, and that would be unbearable. She picked up her book and read on with a sense of being tantalized and cheated, not only about the March tea but

about her whole life. Marburg wasn't even a county seat, just a nice old sprawling college town with a few factories at the west end to give a faint flavour of commerce. And Marburg College was just a nice old sprawling college with only one claim to distinction, that great geologist, Professor Benjamin Elliott, whose name and work were known wherever civilized man considered the earth's bones. The Elliott Geological Museum was small but authentic and complete and scholars from all over the world came to see it.

Two lines of thought went on side by side in Jane's head as she read, both slight but distinct. The first was regret that she couldn't do something exciting, and the second that there was no man she had ever met at all like Ann Veronica's ruddy blond. Presently Jane dropped her book and hunted in the bottom bureau drawer for the pack of cigarettes she had hidden there. At least she could smoke and Aunt Rosa disapproved of girls' smoking. So did everyone else in Marburg. Even Jane didn't have the daring to buy cigarettes for herself in the local tobacco shops. Henry Berwyn had given her these and that was Henry's greatest attraction, though he didn't know it.

Jane smoked gloomily and choked when she tried to inhale. If there were only something exciting to do! She stared around the room, hating the dark, tall dresser, the massive high bed, the large roses on carpet and wallpaper, the knotted spread, the pair of alabaster vases on the mantel. "Look at it if General Grant chose it," she announced aloud, "with his whiskers!" Aunt Rosa might be liberal-minded on the subject of Henry Berwyn, but when it came to changes in her house she was rock. The room had the solidity of her will.

When the cigarette was at last finished, somewhat to Jane's relief, she wrapped the ashes and butt in a wad of crumpled paper, put it into the wastebasket and went down to telephone to her dearest friend. Amy Lowe had probably gone to the Marches, but she'd be sure.

No, Amy was at home. "What are you doing?" asked Jane. "Let's have some tennis. The courts ought to be dry enough by now."

Amy hesitated. "Why don't we just go for a walk?"

"Immediately Jane was bent on tennis. "I want to do something with some action to it. Walking bores me to death."

"All right," said Amy resignedly. "I'll come by for you as soon as I change my shoes."

They would play on the college courts, though these were not open to the townspeople during vacation. Amy's father was professor of history, and faculty families were privileged to use courts, library and the enclosed gardens of the administration building. By the time Jane had put on her own tennis shoes and taken her racket from its case Amy had arrived.

"Why didn't you go to the Marches party?" asked Jane as they started.

"Mother wanted to go so I stayed with Grandpa, he isn't so well to-day. I did nearly an hour's extra practice. Lucky thing Grandpa likes it, poor old lamb! Father came in just when you phoned. That's why I could leave."

"What do you think you'll ever do with your music? You always away at it and you play people's accompaniments and now and then you play the organ in church, but I don't see what it gets you!"

"I love doing it. I enjoy it. What more could it get me than that?"

Jane frowned. "That's very philosophic, I suppose. Oh, I do wish there was something I liked doing, something I could devote myself to, something big and grand and thrilling! This town's as dead as ditchwater. There's nothing here."

"Well, you're awfully clever, Jane. Anything you wanted to do you'd make go." Amy offered this

in all sincerity.

"I know I could," Jane sighed. "Aunt Rosa called me down about the beach picnic."

"Did Momma March tell her? You might have known she would. So that's why you didn't go to the tea. What did Miss Rosa say?"

"She said I was too smart really to enjoy talking to Henry but not smart enough to see what a fool I am to do something I don't enjoy for the sake of shocking people. She said it was my vanity."

"There's one nice thing about your Aunt Rosa," said Amy, considering this. "She always talks like a human being. She doesn't lay down the law, but sort of puts the subject before you and you're free to use your own judgment."

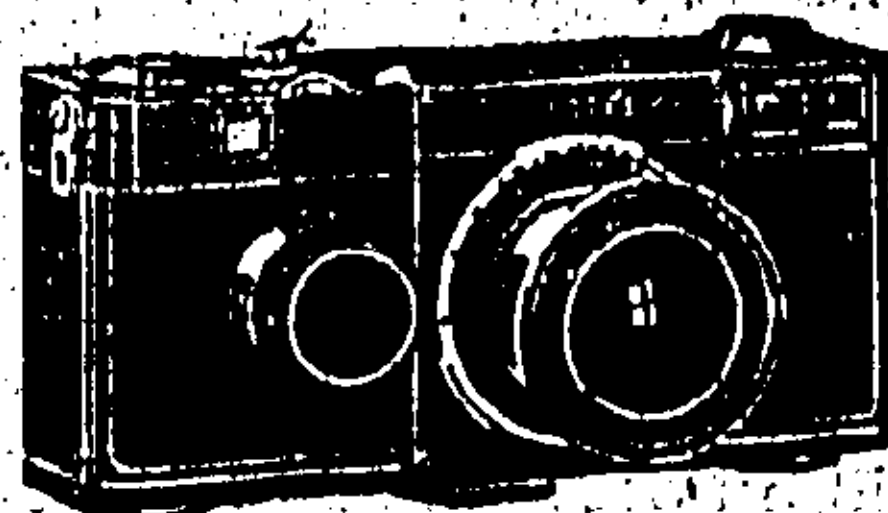
"You ought to be, her niece instead of me!" Jane began to look dark and tragic.

Amy quickly changed the subject. "I'm thankful that commencement's over and all the boys gone. Father's Sunday night student suppers bored me terribly this year."

"The boys like them, though. Everybody says your father's the most popular professor in college," Jane spoke absently. She had no interest in any topic but herself.

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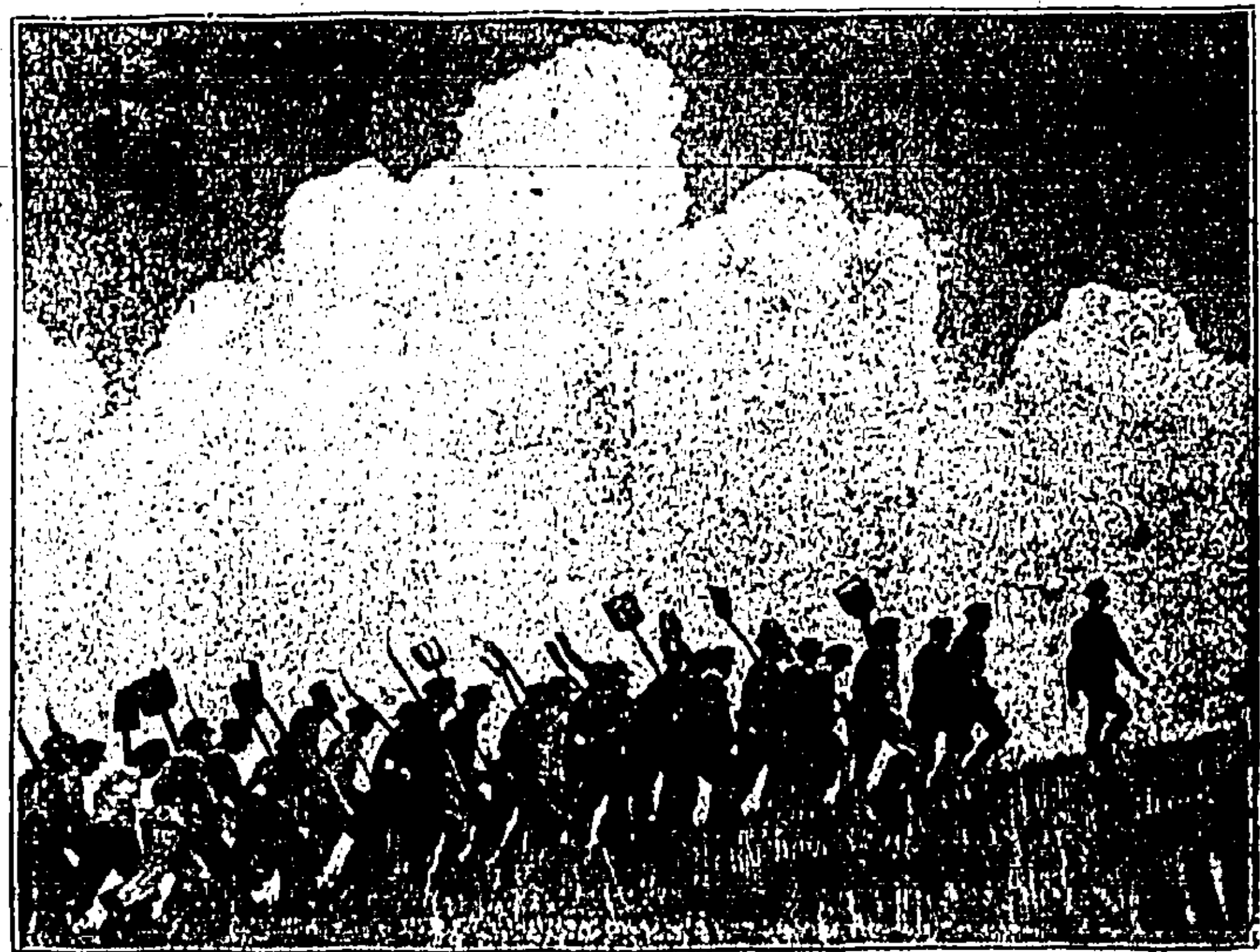
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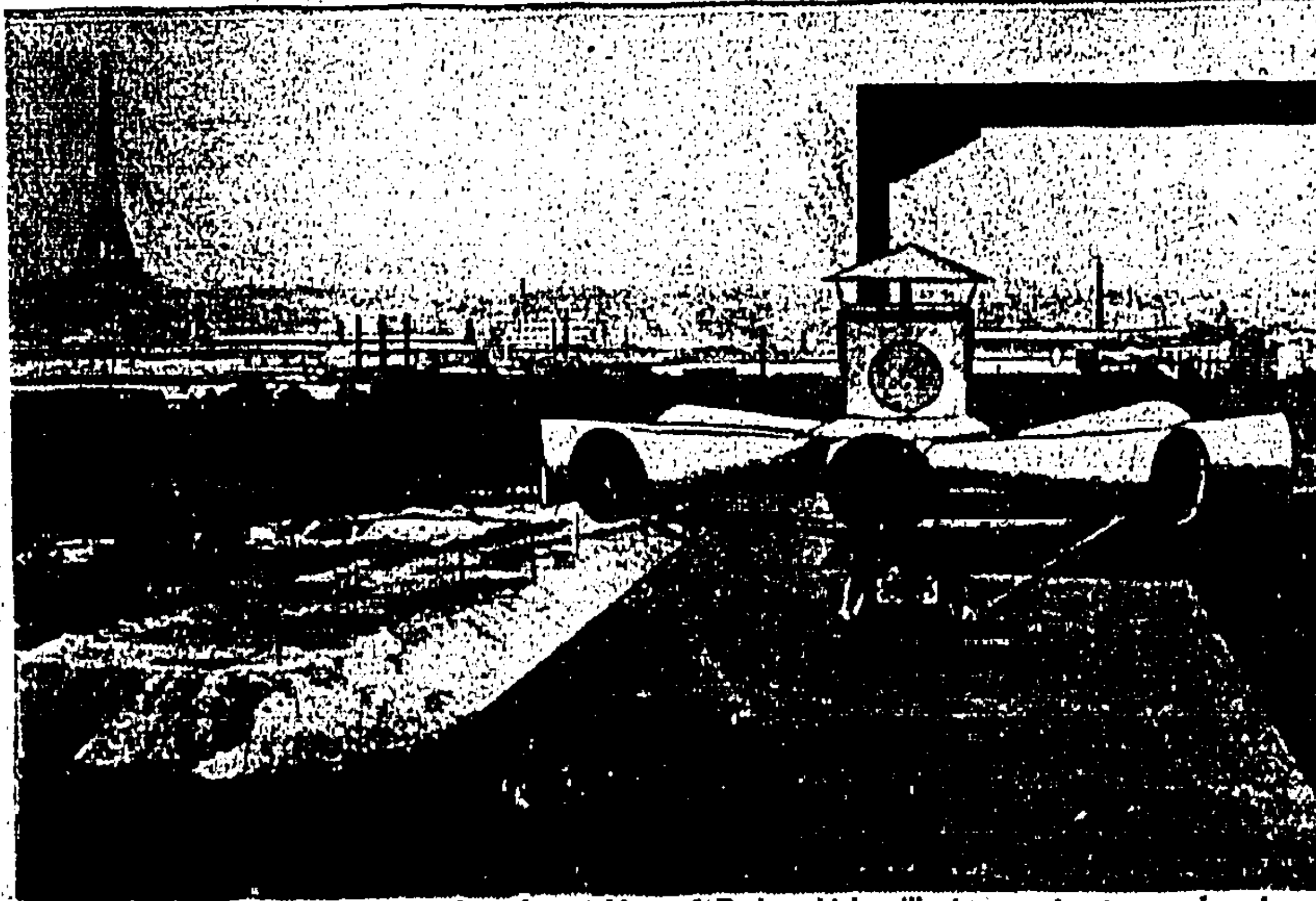
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share quotations issued to-day:—

Banks.
H.K. Bank, \$1770 b.
H.K. Bank (London), \$134 n.
Chartered Bank, \$107 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B., \$28 n.
Municipal Bank, \$15 n.
East Asia Bank, \$84 n.
Aia. U. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4 n.
China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$5 n.

Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$290 n.
Union Ins., \$335 n.
China Underwriters, \$120 n.
China Fire, \$510 n.
H.K. Fire, \$228 n.
International Asso., \$6 n.

Shipping.
Douglas, \$41 1/2 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$7 n.
Indo-China, (Prof.), \$80 n.
Indo-China, (Def.), \$88 n.
Shells (Bearer), \$8/9 n.
Union Waterboats, \$12 1/2 n.

Mineral.
Antamoks, 60 cts. n.
Balatoc, \$32 1/2 n.
Baguio Gold, 42 cts. n.
Benguet, \$32 b.
Benguet Exploration, 18 cts. n.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.
Gold Creek, \$2 n.
Gold River, 28 1/2 cts. n.
Ipo Mining, \$2.20 b.

Stocks.
H.K. Wharves, \$107 1/2 n.
H.K. Dock, \$12 n.
Presidents (old), \$105 n.
Presidents (new), 50 cts. n.
Hongkong (old), Sh. \$322 1/2 n.
Hongkong (new), Sh. \$320 n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$5 n.
Shanghai Dock, Sh. \$131 n.

Cotton Mills.
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$11 b.
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$73 n.
Shai Cottons, (new), Sh. \$42 1/2 n.
Zong Sings, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$68 n.

Land & Hotels.
H. & S. Hotels, \$5.85 n.
H.K. Lands, \$57 1/2 n.
Shai Lands, Sh. \$27 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.

Public Utilities.
Tramways, \$21.10 b.
Peak Trams (old), \$15 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$7 n.
Star Ferries, (old), \$102 1/2 n.
Yaumati Ferries, \$21 b.

Electricity.
C. Lights (old), \$8.80 n.
C. Lights (new), \$8.60 n.
H.K. Electric, \$72 n.

Telephones.
Macao Electric, \$25 n.
Macao Lights, \$3 n.
Telephones (old), \$242 b.
Telephones (new), \$12 b.

China Buses.
Sh. \$13.20 n.
Singapore Traction, 5/- n.
Singapore Prof., 16/10 1/2 n.

Industries.
Malayan Sugars, \$12 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Prof.), \$19 1/4 n.

Canton Ice.
\$2.70 n.
Cement (new), \$2.72 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$4 1/2 n.

Stores etc.
Dairy Farms, \$26 n.
Watson, \$6.40 n.
Der A. W., \$4 n.

Construction.
Lane Crawfords, \$4.80 n.
Mackintosh, \$21 n.
Sincere, \$10.60 b.

Wm. Powell.
70 cts. n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$108 b.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$4 n.
H.K. Entertainment, 7 1/2 n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$1 n.

United Theatres.
Sh. \$2 n.
Macao "Greyhound", \$2 n.
Constructions (old), \$1.65 b.

Constructions (new).
70 cts. b.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G. Bonds
87 1/4 % n.

H.K. Gov. 4% Loan.
8 1/4 % b. (prem.)
Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.
Gov. Loan 3 1/2 % Loan, 15% n. (prem.)



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branch out.

COTTON, WHEAT
AND SILVERLATEST AMERICAN
QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Iwan, Culbertson and Fritz
have received the following quo-
tations on the New York cotton and
wheat and silver exchanges for yes-
terday.

Cotton.
July 10. July 11.
Close Range
July 12.40 12.70-12.80
October 12.64 12.98-13.00
December 12.70 13.13-13.16
January 12.85 13.19-13.20
March 12.94 13.27-13.28
May (1936) 13.02 13.36-13.37
Spot 12.70 13.00

Chicago Wheat.
July 10. July 11.
Close Range
July 87 1/2 92 1/2-92 3/4
September 88 1/2 93 1/2-93 3/4
December 89 1/2 94 1/2-94 3/4
Total sales 12,473,000 bushels
10,000,000 bushels

Winnipeg Wheat.
July 10. July 11.
Close Range
July 76 1/2 81 1/2-81 3/4
October 78 1/2 84 1/2-84 3/4
December 79 1/2 85 1/2-85 3/4

Silver.
July 10. July 11.
Close Range
September 46.00 47.15-47.20
October 46.85 47.20-47.25
December 46.95 47.47-47.55
January 47.25 47.47-47.47
March 47.75 48.08-48.08
May 48.00 48.70-48.70
Total sales 11 lots
18 lots

"STAY OUT OF MY
LIEN"

(Continued from Page 3.)

a minute. I want to look along
the clime."

"I don't know. They stand
there so grandly and their shade's
so light and free instead of solid
like the mayles." I like to remem-
ber them when I'm playing
Schumann's "Papillons"—they've got
same rhythm."

"I thought you told me the
other day nobody ought to talk of
one art in terms of another."

"Looking at clime isn't an art."

Amy said it dreamily, still regard-
ing the trees.

Jane was impatient. "Oh, do
come on! I forgot to tell you
Aunt Rosa said Henry Bervyn was
fearfully dumb-and that it must
have been a clerk to talk to him."

Amy joined her. "Henry is
dumb. His grade in dumbness is
A plus. What did you talk about,
anyway?"

"He was arguing with me to stop
smoking cigarettes. But I made
him give me two packs. I don't
know why all the men in this town
have to be so deadly."

"They're not. Don't you like
Edgar Moreland and Vanny Hough?
They're all right. Even as she
spoke Amy remembered, too late,
that neither Edgar nor Vanny
liked Jane. They said she was
conceited and queer. However,
Amy was sure Jane knew how they
felt toward her and Jane's reply
confirmed this, for it was blandly
conceding.

"They're not so bad, I suppose,
but they're nothing extra. It isn't
that I want more men around.
Amy. Jane spoke as if bands of
ardent swains were blocking the
avenues. It's the whole town.
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(To Be Continued.)

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LONDON STOCK
EXCHANGELATEST SHARE
QUOTATIONS

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London Stock Exchange have been
received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson
and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter.

Chinese Bonds.
July 10 July 11.
4 1/2 % Bonds 1898
(Eng. Ins.) £101 1/4 £101 1/4
4 1/4 % Loan 1908 £ 91 1/4 £ 91 1/4
5 % Loan 1912 £ 70 1/4 £ 70 1/4
5 % Reorg. Loan
1913 (Ldn. Iss.) £ 93 1/4 £ 94
5 % Bonds 1925-47 £ 91 1/4 £ 91 1/4
5 % Shai-Nanking
Rly. £ 66 1/4 £ 66
5 % Tient-Pukow
Rly. £ 33 £ 33
5 % Tient-Pukow
Railway (Supl.
Loan) £ 25 £ 25
5 % Shai-Hchow
Ningpo Rly. £ 98 1/4 £ 99
5 % Honan Rly. £ 30 £ 30
5 % Hukung Rly.
1911 £ 34 1/4 £ 35 1/4
5 % Lung Tsing U.
Hail Rly. 1913 £ 16 £ 16

Foreign Bonds and Banks.
German 7 1/2 % Int.
Loan 1924 63 50 1/2
Japan 5 1/2 % Sterling
Loan 1907 £ 73 1/4 £ 73 1/4
Japan 6 1/2 % Sterling
Loan 1924 £ 85 1/4 xdf 85 1/4 xdf
H.K. & Shai Bk.
(Ldn. Regd.) £133 1/4 £134
Charld. Bk. £5 sh. £ 16 1/4 £ 16 1/4

Industrials and Breweries.
Associated Elec.
Industrials 18/0 18/0
British-Am. Tob.
(Bearer) 120/- 120/-
Chinese Eng. and
Min. (Bearer) 18/- 18/-
Tate & Lyle 90/- 90/3/4
Distillers 90/- 90/0
Dunlop Rubber 45/6 45/0
Eveready 5/- sh. 28/0 28/0
General Electric
(England) 44/0 44/3
Boon 43/0 44/1
Impl. Chem. Ind. 35/7 1/2 36/1 1/2
Impl. Chem. Ind.
Def. 10/- sh. 8/0 8/0
Impl. Tobacco 125/1 1/2 126/-
Woolworths 103/3 103/3
Internat. Nicke-
lode 25/- 26/-
Pinchin Johnson
10/- sh. 39/3 37/6
Turner & Newall
Unilever 22/3 22/3

Miscellaneous.
Anglo-Dutch 25/7 1/2 25/0
Burma Corp. Rs.
10 13/3 13/1 1/2
Canadian Pacific
Rly. \$25 sh. £ 13 1/4 £ 14 1/4
Charld. 15/- sh.
(Bearer) 22/- 22/-
Gul. Kalumpung
Rubber 24/3 24/3
Trepan Mines 11/9 11/7 1/2
L. a n g i a g t e
Estates 31/6 31/6
London Tin 10/-
sh. 13/3 13/3
Pekin Synd 2/-
ord. sh. 2/- 2/-
Rubber Trusts 34/0 35/-
Shai Elec. Contr. 53/- 53/-
Van Lyn Deep 63/1 1/2 63/1 1/2
Electric Musical
Industries 28/1 1/2 20/-

Oil.
Anglo-Persian Oil 47/6 47/6
Burma Oil 81/3 81/3
Southern Railway
(Deferred) 20/6 20/1 1/2
Royal Dutch 100
sh. 20 1/2 £ 20 1/2
Shell Trust 48/0 48/0
Trud. (Bearer) 48/0 48/0
Geldenhuis 28/1 1/2 27/6
Crown Mines 24/3 24/3

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INWARD MAILS.

Saloon and Air Mail ex Marseilles.	Dah Loh	July 12.
Shanghai and Amoy	Luchow	July 12.
Japan	Bokuyo Maru	July 13.
Straits	Burdwan	July 13.
Japan	Durban Maru	July 13.
Manila	General Sherman	July 13.
Japan	Kidderpore	July 13.
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	July 13.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London 21st June)	Rajputana	July 13.
Shanghai and Swatow	Suiyang	July 13.
Straits and Air Mail ex Imperial	Burdwan	July 14.
Always Service	Morioka Maru	July 14.
Japan	Chonocaux	July 15.
Saloon	Gango	July 15.
Shanghai	Lyons Maru	July 16.
Straits	Troilus	July 16.
Shanghai	Felix Roussel	July 17.
Shanghai	Deutchland	July 17.
Straits	Helorus	July 18.
Calcutta and Straits	Kunising	July 18.
Straits	Genoa Maru	July 19.
Australia and Manila	Kitano Maru	July 19.
London Parcels only—London, 14th June	Antenor	July 20.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 30th June)	Emp. of Japan	July 20.
Japan and Shanghai	Kashima Maru	July 20.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Port Bayard	Wing Wo	Thurs. July 12, 1 p.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs. July 12, 3 p.m.
Samahui and Wuchow	Chung On	Thurs. July 12, 4 p.m.
	Friday.	
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America, Europe via Vancouver, B.C. (Parcels for Canada only) (Due Vancouver B.C., 30th July)	Empress of Russia	Fri. July 13, 1 p.m.
Hohow and Pakhoi	Parcels	Fri. July 13, 5 p.m.
Manila	Reg.	Fri. July 13, 9 a.m.
Shanghai, Amoy and Fookchow	Reg.	Fri. July 13, 1 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, and San-Fran- cisco (Due San Francisco, 5th August)	Reg.	Fri. July 13, 3 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 1st August)	Reg.	Fri. July 13, 4 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 1st August)	Reg.	Fri. July 13, 5 p.m.
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Reg.	Sat. July 14, 1 p.m.
	K.P.O.	G.P.O.
Reg.	July 12, 4.30 p.m.	Reg.
Letters	July 13, 5 p.m.	Letters
Australia (except places North of Rajputana, Brisbane) and New Zealand via Singapore and Brisbane (Due Brisbane, 4th August)	Reg.	July 14, 1 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Brindisi (Due Brindisi, 5th August)	Reg.	July 14, 3 p.m.
Reg.	July 14, 3 p.m.	Reg.
Letters	July 14, 4.30 p.m.	Letters
	Sunday.	
Swatow, Amoy and Fookchow	Canton Maru	Sun. July 15, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kalpan	Sun. July 15, 9 a.m.
Fookchow	Luchow	Sun. July 15, 9 a.m.
	Monday	
Fookchow via Swatow	Hopsang	Mon. July 16, 1.30 p.m.
	Tuesday.	
Batavia	Tjilalak	Tues. July 17, 9.30 a.m.
Mauritius, Reunion, Laurence Mar- ques and South Africa via Batavia (To connect with the a.s. "Bogge- veen" at Batavia leaving Batavia on 25th July)	Reg.	Tues. July 17, 9.30 a.m.
Letters for "Saloon—Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Reg.	Tues. July 17, 10 a.m.
Reg.	July 17, 9.30 a.m.	Reg.
Letters	July 17, 10.30 a.m.	Letters
Saloon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Egypt and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 17th August)	Reg.	Tues. July 17, 1 p.m.
Reg.	July 17, 10 a.m.	Reg.
Letters	July 17, 11 a.m.	Letters
Port Bayard, Hohow, Pakhoi and G. G. Paul Doumer Haliphong	Reg.	Tues. July 17, 1 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Fookchow	Reg.	Tues. July 17, 2 p.m.
	Wednesday.	
Swatow	Norviken	Wed. July 18, 12.30 p.m.

*Superscribed correspondence only.

ORGANISED ATTACK ON RABIES PROBLEM

PARISH PUMP PROPOSALS

NEGLECTED OBVIOUS MEASURES

CONTROL AREAS

Sir,—I have answered Mr. Pope's humorous references to my letters privately—I have never claimed to be a lawyer but feel sure my views on the law are correct. But even if the Regulations of which I complained are good in law, they seem to be a gross abuse of executive power as a large body of law-abiding citizens are automatically made law-breakers.

However, the rabies question is nearly as important as whether Government is law-abiding or not. Many people say Government is too active—I agree with both. Much that Government has done is stupid, futile and irritating; on the other hand, Government has apparently neglected the obvious, but stringent measures which the situation calls for if it is as serious as is alleged.

SOME FACTS.

May I set out a few facts?

(1). Rabies is an appalling disease which ought to be stamped out if possible.

(2). The importation of rabid dogs cannot be wholly prevented—we have a land border and sea border awarming with junkies mostly carrying dogs.

(3). The present system of admitting dogs without quarantine on the authority of the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon is useless, as it gives a sense of false security.

(4). Every dog owner (I am one) thinks his dog is above suspicion.

(5). Many people (Government servants are not alone in this) think they are above the law, but rabies is no respecter of persons and the dogs of Government servants and their friends are just as liable to get the disease as mine.

(6). Permits given by the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon to move dogs, sporting or otherwise, do not give immunity, and such dogs are just as liable to carry the disease as dogs moved without permits.

EXEMPTION PERMITS.

(7). The Public will not co-operate in enforcing laws from which they think the Authorities and their friends can obtain exemptions either by permit or a knowledge that the police will not prosecute.

(8). Rabies is only conveyed through the saliva of an infected dog and therefore restriction of movements of all dogs within limited areas is essential immediately any area is known to be infected.

(9). The more stringent the measures taken against infected areas, the more eager will be the public in clean areas to stop importation into those areas.

(10). In England non-movement areas are declared from time to time as regards various diseases. These areas are sometimes as small as parishes, sometimes as large as several counties (I am not sure of the details and am only writing from memory).

(11). Inoculation is probably effective and if universal would stamp out the disease for the time being.

INOCULATION FEES.

(12). Government, instead of encouraging inoculation, allows public servants to charge substantial fees.

I recently had seven dogs inoculated in my house. If the charge had been \$10.00 each, which I believe is charged by the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon, it would have cost \$70.00. The operation took about an hour.

(13). Rumour has it that Government contemplates wholesale slaughter of dogs.

SUGGESTED MEASURES.

I admitted before and repeat that I know nothing of preventive medicine, and am not qualified in any way to handle the situation, but I venture to say that the following scheme is more hopeful than the present system. I urge Government to consider it, instruct the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon to consult with the Law Officers, with power to co-opt specialists and scientists, and to report publicly on its practicability or to devise a better one. I suggest seven days is ample time for such a report.

(a). Divide the Colony into small and convenient geographical areas.

(b). Take power to prevent the movement of all dogs from any



Mr. Thomas Southern, K.B.E., C.M.G., opened the Children's Playground at Wanchai yesterday. He is here seen addressing those present. (Photo: A. Fong).

TALENTED CANTON LADY

DEATH OF MADAME OLIVECRONA

Canton, July 11. Residents of Canton were very sorry to hear that Madame Olivecrona succumbed to an attack of pneumonia. She had been ailing for some considerable time, and was not strong enough to fight against this last sickness.

Madame Olivecrona was the wife of Major G. V. Olivecrona, of the Royal Swedish Engineers, who is in charge of the Board of Conservancy here. She was only 48 years of age, and until her health broke up, was a most energetic and healthy woman, being a keen sportswoman. She was a good tennis player and did a great deal of walking, of which she was very fond. Besides having a most kind and generous disposition and fine personality, Madame Olivecrona was a very talented woman. She spoke, besides her own tongue, English, German, French, Japanese and Chinese.

The funeral service is to be held to-day at 4 p.m. at 42 Pank Tee Road, Tungshan, and later the remains will be cremated at the Japanese Crematorium at Macao Fort.

Much sympathy is felt for Major Olivecrona and the children.—Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. J. C. Pilcher, Private Secretary to H. E. the Governor, is proceeding on local leave to-morrow. He is travelling north on the Empress of Russia and will visit Shanghai and Peking, returning to the Colony on July 31. During his absence the duties of Private Secretary will be taken over by Mr. H. Crutwell, a Cadet officer at present in Canton.

Missing since Tuesday, Li Shu-kin, a cook employed at the Po Hing Chung shop at 125, Des Voeux Road West, is believed to have taken his life following the discovery of a letter in which he expressed this intention. The police have been informed.

Cheung Mook-pak, a boarding house runner, whose death occurred at the Government Civil Hospital yesterday, is believed to have committed suicide by taking a large dose of opium. He was found in an unconscious state on a floor at 412, Des Voeux Road West.

Two cases of typhoid were reported to the local health authorities on Tuesday.

area declared infected.

(c). Take power to destroy any dog illegally moved.

(d). Register all dogs and supply distinctive labels, according to districts.

(e). Encourage inoculation and make it compulsory within a limited period.

1. Train a number of "doggy-men" (I know of no better term) to inoculate. Surely some public vaccination might be secured.

2. Secure the assistance of the S.P.C.A., who have two inspectors available.

FREE INOCULATION.

3. Inoculate free of charge; if necessary, increasing the licence fee. If this cannot be done, I have no doubt the S.P.C.A. would raise a special fund for this purpose.

(f). Make it an offence for a female with oenurus to be abroad. Give the police power to deal with such animals.

(g). Tighten up the law generally in infected areas.

(h). Remove restrictions immediately relaxation is possible, as restrictions which are not enforced bring the whole Government into contempt, and make the task of Government and the Police truly difficult in times of emergency.

PARISH PUMP.

BOUNTY FOR CATTLE

MR. WALTER ELLIOT'S NEW SCHEME

REORGANISING AGRICULTURE

London, July 11. Mr. Walter Elliot, Minister of Agriculture, announced in the Commons to-night that an emergency measure would be introduced forthwith providing for the payment in a rate not exceeding 5/- per live hundred-weight and 9/4d. per hundred-weight deadweight, to the producers of certain classes of cattle sold for slaughter in the United Kingdom between April 1st, 1934, and March 31st 1935.

Payments would be made from a "Cattle fund" and authority would be sought without delay for making temporary advances to that fund from a consolidation fund of an amount not exceeding £3,000,000.

IMMEDIATE SCHEME.

Mr. Elliot stated that the problem had been approached by the Government with the intention of framing proposals which could be brought into operation immediately to deal with the beef situation and would lead up to the formation of a permanent policy.

Government were of the opinion that a plan based on a levy on regulated imports and payments to English producers afforded the best long-term solution and one which would hold the balance evenly between the producer and the consumer.

LONG-TERM PLAN.

Government would, therefore, hope in its long-term plan to establish, and render into the control and management of a Permanent Commission, a fund into which would be paid, in due course, the proceeds of such levy and out of which would be paid such payments to producers of livestock in United Kingdom as might be justified by the market situation and as might from time to time be determined.

It would be an essential function of the Commission to cooperate with any producers' marketing organisation and other interests concerned in the reform of the marketing and slaughtering system with a view to greater economy and efficiency, which was indispensable to the further prosperity of the livestock industry.

ABSENCE OF CONSENT.

Discussion with representatives of the Governments of the Dominions and the Argentine had been opened but in the absence of consent to proposals for a levy, the only action open to the Government so far as the imports of meat was concerned was by the further regulation of supplies, designed first to hold the position for the time being and secondly to bring about a material improvement in the market position.

Action on an extended scale would present problems of a serious nature to certain Dominion Governments and in view of the United Kingdom Government were anxious to allow time for further examination of the situation before determining the extent of the action.—British Wireless.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Society for the Protection of Children desires to acknowledge with grateful thanks a donation of \$5 from Mr. P. L. Collinson, in memory of the late Mr. J. M. Walker.

"CHIN CHINS" FROM BOB WOOLSEY

SENDS MESSAGE TO HONGKONG

BY RONNIE TRUE

Robert Woolsey, the famous cinema comedian, still has a warm spot for Hongkong.

He has sent cordial greetings to the Colony through Mr. Ronnie True, leader of the popular "Cheer-o" Dance Band, who met the inimitable Robert and his wife in Hollywood last month.

In a letter to a member of the Telegraph staff, Mr. True says:

"Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woolsey ask me to convey to the 'Newspaper Boys,' to the Hongkong Jockey Club, and to their many friends in Hongkong, their best wishes. My wife and I saw them early last month, and they both have the liveliest recollections of the happy days spent in Hongkong and Kowloon."

Mr. and Mrs. True, who made Hollywood a stopping place on their way to England, apparently "did" the film colony in a most adequate manner.

ASSAULTS WOOLSEY!

Mr. True describes his meeting with Woolsey in the following terms:—"We had a dinner in 'The Brown Derby,' Hollywood, and the only celebrity we recognised was Woolsey himself! I went over and assaulted him and he liked it. Bert Wheeler was in New York."

According to Mr. True, Wheeler and Woolsey have just finished a film believed to be called "The Two Cavaliers."

"It is something or other about cavaliers," explains Ronnie, "but I cannot recall the exact title."

English Wightman Cup Debacle

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ten minutes.

Miss Scriven played the first set of her match with Miss Palfrey really well. If Miss Palfrey had not been helped by a rather lucky ball-volley Miss Scriven might conceivably have led by 5-3. However, from 4-4 she won Miss Palfrey's service for 6-4 and was out on her own. Good enough. For ought to mention straight away that Miss Palfrey (as many have been gathered from something I have already said) is a beautiful server in spite of her comparative shortness of stature. The second set was even up to 1-1 point; but Miss Scriven made little or no effort to get on terms after losing her service, to give Miss Palfrey the 4-2 lead; this was hardly judicious.

THOSE THREE SERVICE ACES.

I have already outlined the debacle of the third set. Miss Scriven could not be blamed for losing the seventh game, in which she only wanted a point for the match by 6-4, for those three service aces of Miss Palfrey's would have beaten anybody; but it seems a pity that she could not devise some method of winning one of the next three games. On the other hand, it must be freely conceded that Miss Palfrey rose to the occasion magnificently and played great tennis. A metaphorical ray of sunshine peeped through the lowering clouds when Miss Scriven 5-6 down, won her service to love, but Miss Palfrey won hers to love likewise, and then proceeded to clinch the next game and everything else in thoroughly workmanlike fashion.

I am, unfortunately perhaps, not one of those people who can conjure up enthusiasm for a Davis Cup or a Wightman Cup match which does not matter. I saw Miss Nuthall beat Miss Babecek, and was unmoved even when, although the better player, she looked at one time as if she was not

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RELAY OF HONGKONG HOTEL DANCE ORCHESTRA

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7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations. London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.

7.05-7.33 p.m. A Recital by Stuart Robertson (Baritone) and Fritz Kreisler (Violin).

Song—When Lights go Rolling (Ireland).

Song—When Dull Care, (Lane Wilson).

Violin Solo—Polichinello (Kreisler).

Violin Solo—Dance of the Marionette (Winteritz).

Song—Sea Fever (Ireland).

Song—In Summer-time on Bredon (Peel).

Violin Solo—Humoresque (Dvorak-Kreisler).

Violin Solo—Caprice Viennois (Kreisler).

Fritz Kreisler.

7.33-8 p.m. Concert Waltzes.

Carmen Sylvia (Ivanovici).

Eva Waltzes (Lehar, arr. Schott).

International Novelty Orchestra.

Estudiantina (Waldteufel).

The Skaters (Waldteufel).

International Concert Orchestra.

Danube Waves (Ivanovici).

Over the Waves (Rosas).

International Concert Orchestra.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

9.30 p.m. London 1 p.m. Exchange and Commodity Quotations.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News. Further Exchange and Commodity Quotations from London followed by New York Opening Quotations.

10.40 p.m. Close Down.

All relays of the Hongkong Hotel Orchestra are by courtesy of the Management.

ZEK PROGRAMME.

8.30-10 p.m. European Recorded Programme from ZEK on 640 Kc/s. (484 metres):

8.30-9.04 p.m. Concerto No. 2, in F Minor (Chopin) (Op. 21) for Piano and Orchestra.

Marquise Long (Pianoforte) with Orchestra of la Societe du Conservatoire, conducted by Philippe Gaubert.

1st Movement—Andante.

2nd Movement—Larghetto.

3rd Movement—Allegro Vivace.

9.04-9.30 p.m. Musical Comedy.

Vocal Gems—Follow a Star (Ellis).

Light Opera Company.

Selection—No, No Nanette (Yvonne).

New Mayfair Orchestra.

Selection—Show of Shows.

New Mayfair Orchestra.

Vocal Gems—Whoopee (Kahn).

Vocal Gems—The New Moon (Lombard).

Light Opera Company.

9.30-9.47 p.m. Band Selection from Operas.

Tales of Hoffmann (Offenbach).

The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

Faust (Gounod).

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9.47-10 p.m. Vocal Items.

(a) Where the Bee Sucks (Shakespeare and Arne) (b) Come let us Join the Roundelay (W. Beale).

It was a Lover and His Lass (Morley).

The B.B.C. Wireless Singers, conducted by Stanford.

Wine, Women and Song—Strauss.

Vocal Solo.

The B.B.C. Wireless Chorus and Orchestra conducted by Stanford Robinson.

10 p.m. Close Down.

EXCHANGE RATES

	July 10.	July 11.
Paris.....	76.12/32	76.13/32
Geneva.....	15.47 1/2	15.47
Berlin.....	13.14 1/2	13.14
Helsingfors.....	22 1/2	22 1/2
Oslo.....	19.00 1/2	19.00 1/2
Athens.....	52 1/2	52 1/2
Milan.....	58.25/32	58.23/32
Buenos Aires.....	36 1/2	36 1/2
Shanghai.....	1/4 1/2	1/4 1/2
New York.....	5/4	5/4
Amsterdam.....	7.43	7.43 1/2
Vienna.....	27	27
Prague.....	121 1/4	121.5/16
Bucharest.....	503	503
Madrid.....	36.27/32	36.27/32
Hongkong.....	1/5 1/4	1/6
Brussels.....	21.58	21.58
Stockholm.....	19.40	19.40
Copenhagen.....	22.39 1/2	22.39 1/2
Lisbon.....	110	110
Bombay.....	1/6.1/16	1/6.1/16
Yokohama.....	1/2 1/4	1/2 1/4
Rio.....	4 1/4	4 1/4
Montevideo.....	38 1/2	38.1/16
Belgrade.....	222	222
Montreal.....	4.98	4.98 1/2
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REWARD OFFER

POLICE QUEST FOR CHAN LIM-PAK

A Criminal Investigation Department circular, dated June 28 and posted at local Police Stations the day before yesterday gives notice that a reward of \$1,000 will be paid to any person or persons giving information leading to the arrest and conviction of Chan Lim-pak, managing-director of the Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company Ltd., who is wanted on six counts of fraudulent misappropriation of certain monies of the firm. The reward is valid for one year.

It will be recalled that Chan Lim-pak failed to appear on remand at the Central Magistracy on June 13 and his bail of \$10,000 was forfeited by the magistrate, Mr. Hamilton. It was stated he had gone to Canton on urgent business. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

VETERAN CHURCHMAN

BISHOP OF LONDON ENDS FIFTY YEARS IN OFFICE

London, July 11. The Bishop of London on the completion of 50 years in the Church, has been presented with a volume containing the names of 2,205 men he has ordained and a cheque to be used in beautifying the chapel at Fulham Palace.—*British Wireless.*

Mr. E. Davidson, of Messrs. Hastings and Company appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. M. K. Lo, of Messrs. Lo and Lo, for the defence.

The reward circular gives the following description: Aged 49 years, medium height and stout build, full face, sallow complexion, hair rather thin on crown and usually parted on left side; late of No. 15 Peak Road; born in Nam Hoi district; speaks English and Cantonese.

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

All the sensations of a rapid, thrilling cross-country trip are promised by advance reports to audiences at the air-conditioned Queen's Theatre when "Fugitive Lovers," a new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer melodrama, opens on Sunday. In addition to authentic scenes shot from a great Greyhound bus as it actually sped from New York to Hollywood, the audience will also see the most daring prison break and thrilling man-hunt ever screened. A huge "road cruiser" rolls out of its terminal in New York City and, on its first night out, encounters a prison break as it passes. A penitentiary, Repeated firing halts the bus. Robert Montgomery, in the role of Porter, leader of the break, manages to climb into the luggage rack. Later, in clothing stolen from an unlocked bag, he enters as a passenger. Inside, Letty, New York chorine (played by Maudie Evans), is repelling the advances of the gangster backer of her ersatz show. In the role of "Legs" Caffee, the gangster, Nat Pendleton, is trying to force Letty to return with him to Atlantic City. Porter enters the bus and befriends Letty. "Legs" plots revenge. Then, suspecting Porter to be the man whom the police are hunting, he attempts to aid in his capture. Montgomery gives an exciting performance in his effort to evade capture and at the same time protect the girl with whom he is in love. Only the cold-blooded detective is played by C. Henry Gordon, a character actor. As "on any cross-country coach, the bus in "Fugitive Lovers" is filled with varied passengers, some humorous, some pathetic. Ted Healy is a jolly traveling salesman; his three stooges compose an hilariously funny vaudeville team, and Ruth Selwyn is another interesting passenger. "Fugitive Lovers" was directed by Richard Boleslavsky.

"All Men Are Enemies"

"All Men Are Enemies," coming to the King's Theatre on Saturday, is destined to send Hugh Williams, Helen Twelvetrees and Mona Barrie soaring to stardom on the wings of its ecstatic romance. Based on Richard Aldington's successful novel, "All Men Are Enemies" is extraordinarily potent with warm, vital appeal. Its love story is idyllic, a thing of exquisite beauty and feeling, vibrant with pathos, intoxicating in its allure. It's the story of an English boy and a Viennese girl, seeking amid the languorous beauties of the Island of Capri the full expression of their romantic yearnings. Mona Barrie is the "other woman" in Hugh Williams' and Helen Twelvetrees' Eden. Herbert Mundin has a fetching comedy part as the English postman and servant to Williams, and Una O'Connor is at her humorous best as a maid. It is an unusually strong cast. Supporting roles are played by such well-known character actors as Henry Stephenson, Walter Byron, Matt Moore, Halliwell Hobbes, Rafaela Ottiano and Mathilde Comont. Al Hockett produced the picture on a scale that combines the magnitude of "Cavalcade" and the humaneness of "Hill-Top." George Fitzmaurice's direction is a triumph of sheer artistry.

"Too Much Harmony"

Bing Crosby, Jack Oakie, Skeets Gallagher, Judith Allen, Harry Green, Lilyan Tashman and Ned Sparks head the star-packed cast of Paramount's sensational musical comedy smash, "Too Much Harmony," showing at the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday. The film centres around the on-and-off stage activities of a group of show people. Interpersed in the action as the novel plot unravels are eight brand new hit tunes, and several lavish production numbers, staged by the famous dance director, Letty Feltz, with a huge chorus of Hollywood's foremost beauties.

"Whistling in the Dark"

For eleven months the mystery, comedy, "Whistling in the Dark," amused followers of the Broadway stage. Now screen-goers have an opportunity of observing the antics of Fred Truex, star of the original play, and that clever comedienne Una Merkel in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's riotous talkie version of the piece. The film opens today at the Queen's Theatre. This is as funny as anything that has been seen on the screen for some time. An author of mystery stories and his fiancée, a band of crooks who capture them and compel the write to devise them, and a man of science who turns a radio into a telephone, are the plot ingredients around which the chilling suspense and many laughs are woven. Ernest Truex as the author, and Una Merkel as the most gifted comedienne to come to Hollywood from the Broadway stage while Miss Merkel runs him a close second in the matter of scoring laugh hits. Edward Arnold, also from the original stage cast, is excellent as the leader of the crooks, and well-rounded portrayals are contributed by that popular "heavy," John Miljan, C. Henry Gordon, Johnny Hines, Joseph Cawthorn, Nat Pendleton, Tench Holtz and Marcelle Corday.

"Long Lost Father"

"Long Lost Father," John Barrymore's new starring vehicle for RKO Radio showing to-day at the King's Theatre, with Helen Chandler and Donald Cook, recalls "A Bill of Divorcement," in which Barrymore offered a remarkable characterization in a similar role as Katharine Hepburn's father. In "Long Lost Father" Barrymore is seen in the title role in a comedy-drama wherein the father returns to regain his daughter's love. Donald Cook, Helen Chandler, Reginald Sharland, E. E. Clive, Natalie Moorhead and Alan Mowbray are seen in John Barrymore's support. Ernest B. Schoedack directed from an adaptation of G. B. Stern's novel.

Kay Francis, who supports Edward G. Robinson in the First National picture, "I Loved A Woman," which opens to-day at the Alhambra Theatre, Kovloon, delineates an amazing woman who wins world fame through love and ruthlessness. It is her most powerful dramatic role. In addition to its powerful love theme the story treats in dramatic fashion with the frenzied finance employed in the growth of the packing industry to one of the greatest in the world. It is colourfully depicted in the novel by David Karasov, author of "Silver Dollar," in a story titled "Red Meat" from which the screen play was written by Charles Kenyon and Sidney Sutherland. There is a notable cast which includes beside the two stars, Genevieve Tobin, J. Farrell Mac-Donald, Henry Kolker, Robert Barrat, Robert McWade, Walter Walker and Henry O'Neill, Alfred E. Green directed.

COMPANY CHANGE.

VIBRO PILING CO. BECOMES PUBLIC CONCERN

By almost one hundred per cent. voting on the part of shareholders of ordinary and Founder shares, at a meeting held in the Company's office in York Building yesterday, it was decided to adopt a Scheme of Arrangement to turn the Vibro Piling Company from a private to a public company.

At the meeting of shareholders of ordinary shares, there were present Messrs. A. C. da Rosa, chairman, S. M. Churn, director, F. E. D'Almada, secretary, C. H. Busto and H. Odell, shareholders.

The chairman said: This meeting has been called to-day in compliance with an order made by the Chief Justice, directing us to call separate meetings of shareholders of the Founders and Ordinary shares in connection with the Scheme of Arrangement which you have fully approved. It has been submitted to the Chief Justice and he has ordered these meetings. I take it that you will all approve of the scheme and I will make formal application to the Court to change the Company from a private company to a public company.

It is desirable for me to tell you that, though there are only a few shareholders here to-day, out of 3,059 shares issued, those represented by me as proxy holder actually total 2,019 shares, so that we are almost one hundred per cent. in favour. This is not to say that the 61 shares not represented are opposed to the scheme, but are persons who did not trouble to reply.

The chairman moved that the Scheme of Arrangement be adopted. Mr. Odell seconded and the motion was carried.

The meeting of shareholders of Founders Shares followed and the same motion was proposed by the chairman and seconded by Mr. S. M. Churn and carried.

NAVAL PARITY

GERMANY'S NEW OBJECTIVE

London, July 11. It is learned in reliable sources here that Germany, in secret conversations with Great Britain, has demanded naval equality with other great Powers.

It is understood, further, that during the course of these negotiations the German delegates coupled their insistence upon naval parity with an admission of willingness to agree to a maximum naval building programme.—*United Press.*

VISITING PORTSMOUTH.

GERMAN CRUISERS PAY FIRST CALL SINCE 1914

London, July 11. The German cruisers Koenigsberg and Leipzig reached Portsmouth this morning on a four days' visit, the first that any German warships have paid to a British Naval port since the War. Customary salutes were exchanged.—*British Wireless.*

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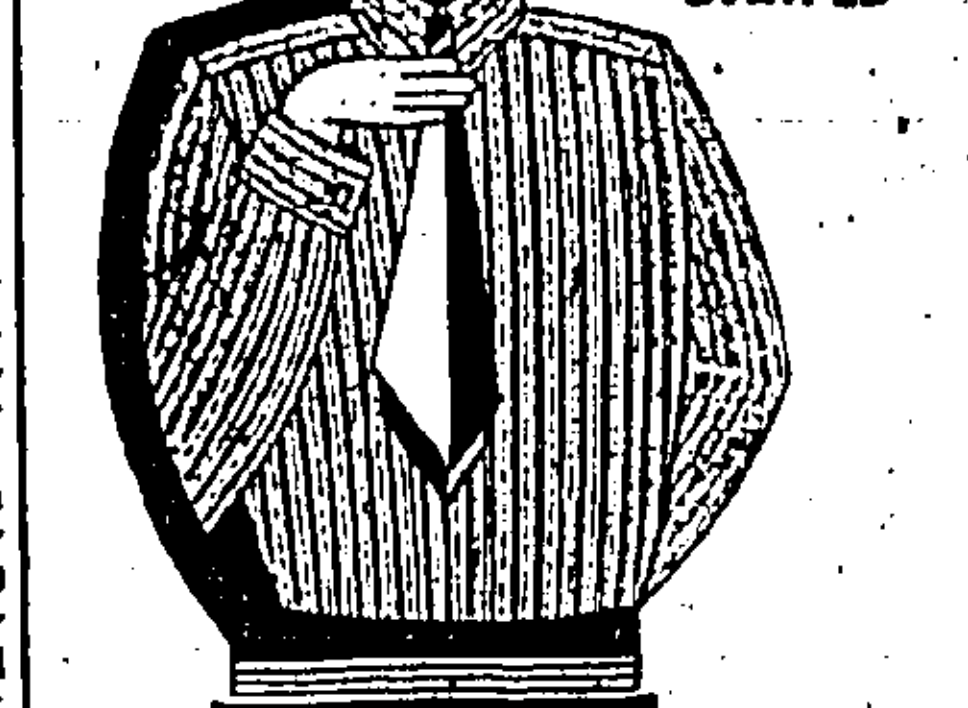
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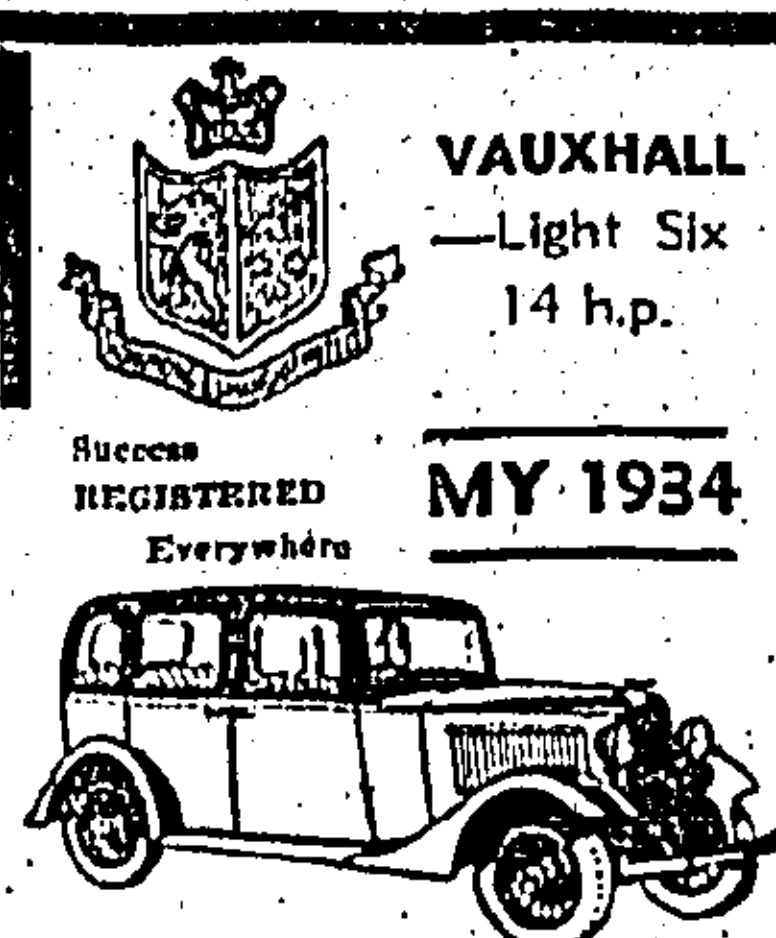
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HOPE FOR EUROPE

If, as seems indicated, M.
Barthou's visit to London has
resulted in France revising her
policy in regard to the rearman-
ment of Germany, the prospects
of placing the European situation
on a better and more stable
basis, leading to eventual agree-
ment on disarmament, will have
been immeasurably increased.
French opposition to the German
demand for equality of treatment
in respect of arms has hitherto
been the main stumbling block in
the way of a general European
settlement. Following M. Bar-
thou's visit to Brussels in April,
the French Government appear-
ed inclined to agree to a moder-
ate and regulated increase in
German defensive armaments, on
condition that Britain and Italy
gave special guarantees in return
and France was not called upon
to make any reduction in
material or personnel. Not
many weeks later, however,
there was a reversion to the
original French standpoint of
making no concessions whatever
to Germany. The change was
attributed to opposition in high
quarters in Paris to the Barthou
policy. Be that as it may,
Britain has in the meantime
made it abundantly clear that
she is not disposed to enter into
any further security commit-
ments. The position thus ap-
peared to be deadlocked. A
welcome change has now come
over the situation by the report-
ed willingness of France to
recognise the justice of the
German demand. It is to be
noted, however, that the French
concession is made conditional on
Germany joining the suggested
Seven-Power Eastern European
Pact of Mutual Assistance. The
next move therefore lies with
Berlin. So far as can be seen,
there should be no reason to fear
German rejection of the proposal.
Germany's leading statesmen
have again and again repudiated
any intention of aggression in
Europe and have declared a
willingness to enter into the
most far-reaching pacts of non-
aggression with neighbouring
countries. It is true that the
suggested Mutual Assistance
Pact goes a step further than a
mere declaration of no aggres-
sive intent, but inasmuch as
Germany is already a signatory
to the Western Locarno agree-
ments, there seems no logical
reason why she should hesitate
to enter into the suggested
understanding affecting Eastern
Europe. It has long since been
realised by most countries that
any attempt to keep Germany in

NOTES OF THE DAY

HU HAN-MIN AND NANKING

Is Mr. Hu Han-min to be invited
to occupy the post of President of
the Chinese Republic? The ques-
tion crops up almost automatically
following the visits of General Ho
Chien and General Wang Shao-
chung to Hongkong, and the
promised call of Mr. Sun Fo—
taken in conjunction with the
important revisions in the pro-
posed new Constitution, which
now invests the President with
very wide powers. The Constitu-
tional programme as amended is
one that should appeal to the
heart of Mr. Hu Han-min, whether
or not he is offered the Presidency.
It insists upon civilian control of
every branch of government; it is
of a nature that will best satisfy
the objective of securing more
than mere lip service to the central
administration. Always an op-
ponent of military dictatorship,
Mr. Hu Han-min must find it dif-
ficult to point out many surface
objections to the revised Constitu-
tion. It cannot, however, succeed
of its own excellence in draughts-
manship. It needs the unreserved
backing of such elder statesmen
as Mr. Hu Han-min to ensure that
it becomes a live and genuine and
not a mere paper Constitution.

R.A.F. EXPANSION

Despite the Daily Mail, which is
so anxious to loosen Britain's
purse-strings for new R.A.F. ex-
pansion, the programme is certain
to be slow in development, even
to the point of ultimately it will be
completed. Experts estimate that
the cost of 600 new machines,
together with ground equipment
and staff, will cost over £35,000-
000. Few people in Britain will
toss their caps in the air, in unison
with the Daily Mail group, if a
supplementary budget of even a
quarter of this amount is intro-
duced. The non-toe-popular
Cabinet now in power would not
have the iron to press it. Our
guess is that the scheme will be
spread out over six or seven years,
with the hope always in mind that
the threat of a race for military
air supremacy will cause compe-
lting nations to "think again" and
agree to limitation that will enable
the full scope of the British ex-
pansionist projects to be shelved.

DR. GOEBBELS' ATTACK

The Nazi Minister for Propa-
ganda complains fiercely of the
manner in which the events of
June 30 were reported in the
foreign press. According to Dr.
Goebbels, the whole situation was
misrepresented and grossly ex-
aggerated, although he admits, by
implication, that the campaign of
"lies and malice" was pursued
without collaboration between
foreign journalists. They all
seem to have gained information of
the same false nature acting in-
dependently, which must seem
passing strange to the impartial
observer. Doubtless a good many
inaccurate details did appear and
doubtless some of the interpreta-
tions were not favourable to the
Hitler regime. That was only to
be expected in an atmosphere
alive with the wildest rumours,
where there was little official aid
in sifting the false from the true.
Not even the leaders knew at the
time exactly what was happening
everywhere. Only afterwards was
it possible to secure all the
material facts and assess them
objectively. When sensational
events are occurring, it is not sur-
prising to find the so-called
popular press making a sensation
out of them. But the habit will
not be cured by threatening to
expel offending correspondents.

NAZI NEWSPAPERS

Dr. Goebbels may have a certain
justification on his side, but he
must give the foreign press, in
the main, the credit for publishing
only what they believed to be
true. There is more in newspaper
work than control and censorship
as the Reichminister discovered
recently when he scoured the
Nazi newspapers for their uni-
formity and lack of originality.
He forgot that many newspaper
editors in Germany have paid the
penalty for originality. He forgot,
too, the peculiar difficulties which
the press in Germany experiences,
until he received a letter from a
small East Prussian paper. "In
our town," it read, "the local Nazi
leader delivers speeches three
times a week. Each time he in-
sists that we print his address in
full, with his photograph. We
have done that 60 times now. If
it continues the paper will go out
of business and we out of our
mind." This much should be
added, Dr. Goebbels took steps to
relieve the editor's anguish.

a continuing state of inferiority
must tend to aggravate the
European situation rather than
otherwise. With France now
also apparently disposed to take
that view, a great opportunity
presents itself for a complete
and lasting Franco-German re-
conciliation. If it is not now
grasped, the chance may never
recur again.

GOOD TEMPER

By ROBERT LYND

We seem to be suffering just
now in most parts of the world
from a drought of good temper.
The gentle rain of good humour
has ceased to fall at the usual
rate; and we are faced with the
possibility of a shortage that, if it
continues, may become dangerous.

There is, I imagine, less good
temper at present in the home
politics of European countries than
there has been for a long time.
Never has the principle of "Live
and Let Live" been more con-
temptuously thrown on the
rubbish-heap. One would almost
imagine from the speeches of some
of the newer politicians that good
temper is a crime.

It is to be hoped that the
idealisation of bad temper will not
spread to England. England has
in the past prided herself on being
the home of good humour; and a
long procession of her writers,
from Chaucer to Dickens, seems to
justify her boast. It is true that
the Englishman has taken that
somewhat irascible-looking gentle-
man-farmer, John Bull, as his
representative national figure.
But that, I am sure, was like the
British lion, only to frighten
foreigners. When a retired Indian
colonel began to look as irascible
as John Bull in home circles this
was put down, not to his English
blood, but to the Indian climate,
curries and whisky.

Foreigners visiting England
have often been struck by the good
humour of people, even when an
orgy of tongue-lashing was go-
ing on. They have noted as some-
thing peculiarly English the laugh-
ing tolerance of the crowds who
gather round the orators at the
Marble Arch. Here it was possi-
ble—at least until recently—to
utter almost any conceivable
opinion with no more danger from
the crowd than vigorous heckling.

It would be going too far to
suggest that all Englishmen at all
times have behaved like the usual
crowds at the Marble Arch. There
have been plenty of "scenes" at
political meetings to break the
monotony. Blows have been
struck and collars have been torn
from their studs even in the House
of Commons.
At the same time, the day after
a disturbance in the House of Com-
mons the members used to go about
with a hangdog expression, feeling
that they had disgraced them-
selves by behaving more like excite-
able foreigners than like strong,
silent Englishmen. As a rule
they attributed the whole thing to
the Irish members, who had no
reverence for the traditions of the
Mother of Parliaments. And the
newspapers, with one voice, cried:
"Disgraceful!"
A wave of bad temper swept
into politics in the years before
the war—possibly an early warn-
ing of the tide of violence that
was to drench Europe in blood for
four years.
Even during the horrors and
hatreds of war, however, the
ordinary Englishman held on as
hard as in the circumstances it
was possible to do to the national
tradition of good temper. He
liked Ole Bill. He sang "Pack up
your troubles in your old kitbag
and smile, smile, smile." He sang
the "Hymn of Hate" as a comic
song.

It would be a disaster to
civilisation, it seems to me, if this
good-humoured type were to dis-
appear. One of the finest con-
tributions that England has made
to the happiness of mankind is the

humour and sentiment of Dickens,
both as kindly as the sunlight on
the walls of an English village;
and it is largely because of the
prodigal kindness of his books
that Dickens became the most
popular English novelist who
ever lived. Every reader envied
the much-tried charity of
Mr. Pickwick, the imperturbable
good-humour of Sam Weller,
serene even when he hated most.

I do not suggest, of course, that
the entire political life of England
could be carried on in the spirit
of Sam Weller. There are oc-
casions, again, on which it would
be asking too much of human
nature to expect everybody to sit
down under misery, with the in-
flexible rosy optimism of Mark
Tapley. Nor did Dickens him-
self wish human beings to remain
permanently good-humoured. He
knew, as we see from his books,
when it was well to be angry.
But he believed that good humour
was the normal mood of a rational
human being. He would have
caricatured any politician who
seemed to believe that it was a
rightly normal thing for human
beings to be in a bad temper.

Most of us have tempers, but
we do our best to control them
or, at least, believe that we
ought to do our best to control
them. Today, however, in various
political movements, bad temper
is apparently widely regarded as
a test of sincerity. Good temper
seems to be looked on as a mark
of weakness and a shilly-shally
natural. Extremists on both
sides shout hymns of hate at each
other, not comically, but serious-
ly. They not only believe what
they say, but believe that it would
be a sin to say it without a scowl.
There is, so far as I can dis-
cover, no warrant in history for
the theory that bad temper and
sincerity go together. Socrates
was infinitely more god-natured
than his accusers, and fundamen-
tally, he was infinitely more
serious and sincere. In our own
time Mr. Shaw has carried on his
propaganda all the more effectively
because he combines sincerity
with a good nature that is the
despair of those who disagree
with him (of whom I am fre-
quently one).

Good temper achieves more
than bad temper—except, per-
haps, in getting windows opened
on railway trains. Other things
being equal—strength of charac-
ter, courage and so forth—the
good-natured man will nearly al-
ways beat the bad tempered man,
since he has necessarily greater
patience.

It seems reasonable, then, to
hope that the present idealisation
of bad temper as a political prin-
ciple is only temporary. Life
would not be worth living with-
out good nature as its normal
atmosphere. An occasional thun-
derstorm of temper may clear the
air, but we can have too much
thunderstorm.
So strongly am I convinced of
the necessity for good temper in
politics that, much as I dislike
Communism and Fascism, I some-
times think I would rather be
ruled by good-tempered Fascists
than by bad-tempered democrats.
So far as I can see, however,
democracy is the only political
theory which looks on good tem-
per as the essential basis of
political and social life. It is be-
cause I believe this that I greatly
prefer it to any of the modern
substitutes for it.

The Very Idea!

TRAMMING THE PEAK

By George
FROM A PEAKITE.

ALTHOUGH its scarcely
sitting

As a dweller on the Peak,
That I should put my mit
in

Where the Public has its
beak,

I feel it is my duty
To suspend being snooty

During this Centenary
week.

I think the trams old-
fashioned

Be Gad and I'm convinced,
That it's cars we have the

push on,
Though the dollar's on the

wince;
And when free passage we

can't steal,
We can always use free wheel

And we'd walk up for two
pins!

Dear George, As an old Peakite
of longstanding (I removed to the
Peak when Kowloon Tong went
white) I am determined to get to
the root of the Tramway question
and demand to know what steps
are being taken to provide for an
extension of the service to Queen's
Road.

Remembering that all men are
liars I am prepared to look at the
matter impartially and have sever-
al suggestions to make quite apart
from the plans of you and your con-
temporaries.

I think for instance that now is
the time for the company to give
the Colony a lead in becoming air-
minded and that they might do this
by running a gliding service from
the Lower Station to Queen's Road,
the take off to be from the Helena
May roof.

This might prove a costly busi-
ness but if the original designers
had had any women they would
have allowed for the need to expand
the rails to Queen's Road during
the summer and to draw them in to
the Lower Station in the winter
when the Peak confines itself to
pingpong and at home "At Homes."

Yours Alrily,

J. Pinwheel.

WITHOUT MUSIC

(Continued).

"I think that I shall never see
A poem lovely as a tree."
A poem lovely as a tree.
So sings a famous songster, yet
his name I cannot recollect.
At times I also think of things
As sloppy as this poet sings:
But never tried, so much the
worse,
To turn them to immortal verse.
For instance, when the sun's
abaze
And in the heat I lie and laze,
I think that I shall never hear
A sight so sweet as pots of beer.
I know that I shall never sniff
Such melody as cold roast beef.
I think that I shall never eat
A picture like Threodredde
Street.

I'm certain I shall never feel
Such scenery as ham and veal.
I have a hunch I'll never know
A horse like Edgar Allan Poe.
In fact I think a lot of things
As soft as those the poet sings:
And should these lines leave any
doubt
Regarding what they're all about,
The reason let me thus explain:
I've just been walking in the
rain.

And talking of love, which we
were doing a few minutes ago,
when the Sing Suet fukki was
parked on the back doorstep; talk-
ing of love, I saw a sad tragedy
the other morning.

To begin at the beginning, some
five months ago my friend Oscar
decided to go to bed for the winter.
So he crawled under a thick hedge,
scopped out a hole, tumbled into it,
and covered himself over with
leaves like a Babe in the Wood.
And there, through all November
and December, Jan. and Feb. he
slept and slept and slept.

Guy Fawkes Day didn't interest
him; Christmas left him stone
cold; the glad New Year thrilled
him not. He merely snored and
snored, snug as a bug in his dug-
out.

But last Thursday morning he
stirred, sat up, rubbed his eyes,
and said "Wassser time?" I told
him it was July something where-
upon Oscar crept slowly out of bed
and stretched himself.

Perhaps I ought to mention that
Oscar is a Hedgehog and that there
aint no such animal here.



"Nothing but conferences and directors' meetings. I used to
have more time to myself."

SWIMMING INTERPORT INVITATION FROM SHANGHAI

RENEWAL OF ERSTWHILE CONTESTS DESIRED

V.R.C. TO HOLD A MEETING THIS EVENING

An invitation has been received by the Victoria Recreation Club from the Shanghai Swimming Association for a local team to be sent north for the renewal of the annual interport galas between the two ports.

Last year, owing to the formation of the Hongkong International Amateur Swimming Association, Shanghai declined to accept either of the invitations sent from the V.R.C. and the Association but subsequently the Foreign Y.M.C.A. team, which included practically all the best swimmers in the northern port, accepted an invitation to a contest and appeared in Hongkong prior to visiting and after returning from Manila.

During the course of the year, it will be recalled, the Shanghai Association wrote to the V.R.C., intimating that the northerners would resume interport swimming, with the V.R.C. making all the local arrangements.

A meeting has been called for this evening at the V.R.C., and representatives from various clubs in Hongkong have been asked to attend to consider the invitation.

Y.M.C.A. GALA

List of Entries For Saturday's Event

There has been a much better response to the Y.M.C.A. gala, which is to be held on Saturday next. Last month the event had to be cancelled owing to insufficient entries.

An interesting programme has been arranged, with the Inter-Hong Relay Team forming the main attraction of the evening. Messrs. Jardines, Matheson, Hongkong Bank and the Kowloon Docks will be entering teams, and it is hoped to receive entries from Union Insurance and Hongkong Electric also.

The list of entries is as follows:
Men's 50 Yards Aggregate Handicap.—Heat 1. F. Dummett, A. Moss, A. Mitchell, C. Cord and G. Fowler; Heat 2. F. Fowler, R. Oldfield, S. Fowler and C. Higgins; Heat 3. C. L. Aris, J. Anslow, R. Goldman and A. G. Donn.
Ladies' 50 Yards Aggregate Handicap.—J. Wilson, A. Fowler, J. Weller, Mrs. M. Read and Mrs. A. C. Schreuder.
Men's 50 Yards Backstroke Scratch.—A. G. Donn, J. Anslow, G. H. Fowler and H. F. Lange, Jr.
Hong Team Race (Teams of four

25 Yards each).
Men's Back and Free Style.
75 Yards Scratch.—H. G. Lange, R. B. Wood, E. F. Selk and W. J. Munro.
Men's Pillow Fight.—A. G. Donn v. H. F. Lange, Jr.; A. H. Moss v. G. Fowler; F. Fowler v. M. G. Lange; C. Casson v. C. L. Aris; F. Dunnet v. By.

150 Yards Mixed Relay (Teams of Six).—A. G. Donn, W. F. Kerr, R. Oldfield, W. G. Jenkins, F. Dummett, Mrs. M. Read; H. G. Lange, R. B. Wood, A. C. Higgins, C. Cord, A. Mitchell, Mrs. Schreuder; R. Goldman, E. F. Selk, C. L. Aris, F. Fowler, A. H. Moss and Miss J. Weller.
Water-Polo.—Y.M.C.A. (H. F. Lange, Jr., H. G. Lange (Capt.), A. C. Higgins; A. G. Donn; R. Goldman, W. A. Schreuder and F. Fowler) v. Hongkong European Civil Service (S. Fowler, K. Mitchell, W. Simpson, W. F. Kerr, G. Fowler, W. Lawrence, K. Jenner and R. B. Wood).

SCHOOL SPORTS

Diocesan Boys Hold Meeting

The Diocesan Boys' School held their first Annual Inter-house Swimming Sports at Gin-Drinkers Bay on Tuesday afternoon. Yellow House winning by the narrow margin of 3 points over Blue House.

Results were as follows:
50 Yards Free Style (Senior).—1. J. Dudley (Yellow); 2. A. J. Hulce (Green); 3. A. Dalziel (Blue).
50 Yards Free Style (Junior).—1. D. Hall (Brown); 2. Sio Cho-yuen (Yellow); 3. J. Hall (Blue).
100 Yards Breast Stroke.—1. Cheung Sin-wah (Brown); 2. Lam Fook-ming (Blue); 3. J. Prettejohn (Brown).
25 Yards Back Stroke.—1. C. Wirth (Blue); 2. Ong Cheng-ai (Yellow); 3. J. Winyard (Green).
250 Yards Free Style.—1. J. Dudley (Yellow); 2. C. Wirth (Blue); 3. A. J. Hulce (Green).
Diving.—1. C. Wirth (Blue); 2.



One of the Fox's most important and entertaining productions is coming to the King's Theatre on Sunday, when "All Men Are Enemies" opens a run. Picture above shows Hug Williams and Herbert Mundin, both featured in the film, in a dramatic scene.

COLONY POLO.

South Wales Borderers Defeat Civilians.

The Lady Cup polo match played yesterday between the South Wales Borderers and the Civilians resulted in a win for the S.W.B. team, who returned seven goals to their opponents' four.

The teams were:

S.W.B.—Mr. D. P. Yates (back), Capt. J. C. Jordan (No. 3), Mr. A. Stocker (No. 2) and Capt. C. F. Blackden (No. 1);
Civilians.—Mr. H. V. Macnamara (back), Mr. B. L. Newbigging (No. 3), Mr. W. J. Kegwick (No. 2) and Mr. G. Faylor (No. 1).

Cheung Sin-wah (Brown); 3. Kwik Pen-lung (Yellow).
Relay.—1. Yellow House; 2. Blue House; 3. Brown House.

Final Standings:

1. Yellow 27 points
2. Blue 24 points
3. Brown 16 points
4. Green 5 points

GARRISON SPORTS MEETINGS.

On Thursday and Friday next, commencing at 2.30 p.m. on each day the East Lancashire Regiment will hold their aquatic sports in the Y.M.C.A. bath.

The Garrison Schools have fixed annual swimming gala for the afternoon of Friday, September 21 next. The meeting will be held at the Y.M.C.A. Kowloon.

TENNIS WIN FOR K.C.C.

"C" Division Points From K.D.R.C.

Playing at home yesterday in their postponed "C" Division Lawn Tennis League fixture, the Kowloon Dock Recreation Club were defeated by the Kowloon Cricket Club by 5½ sets to 2½, the majority of games being evenly contested.

Scores were:

C. E. Millard and A. Duncan (Kowloon Docks):—

beat A. E. Collins and R. S. Capell 7-5
drew with S. V. Gittins and G. S. Smith 6-6
beat F. A. Broadbridge and J. Crawford 6-1

W. Tillery and G. H. White (Kowloon Docks):—

lost to Collins and Capell 2-6
lost to Gittins and Smith 4-6
lost to Broadbridge and Crawford 5-7

J. P. White and A. Pearson (Kowloon Dock):—

lost to Collins and Capell 1-6
lost to Gittins and Smith 1-6
lost to Broadbridge and Crawford 4-6

WATER LEVELS.

FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for Kwantung Province notifies that the height of water in English feet in the West, North and East Rivers is as follows:

	July 10	July 11
West River at Shuihing	12.2	12.3
North River at Tsing-yuen	7.5	7.9
North River at Samshui	6.7	7.3
East River at Sheklung	3.2	4.0

BOWLS TOURNEY

SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

LATEST RESULTS

Only two of the matches down for decision in the lawn bowls singles championship were played yesterday. Both matches were keenly contested, particularly that between W. Ward and H. Hampton. The latter won by 22 shots to 10 on the 28th head. Some very fine bowls were played by both competitors.

On the Kowloon Dock Green A. Brookbank of the Hongkong Football Club was opposed to R. Duncan of the Kowloon Bowling Green Club. The latter won on the 22nd head by 21 shots to 15.

The second match was that between J. Hampton, representing the Kowloon Cricket Club, and W. Ward, a member of the Craigengower C.C. The tie was decided on the Kowloon Bowling Green Club green and resulted in a victory for Hampton by 22 shots to 10 on the 28th head.

Two of the matches fixed for yesterday were cancelled when competitors conceded their opponents walk-overs.

E. de Sousa was to have met T. F. Stanton on the Kowloon C.C. green but he has scratched, while T. Ferguson enters the third round by virtue of a walk-over from A. Jones. R. Bosa has been given a walk-over by J. Hodin in the match which was to have been played last Monday.

The postponed match between E. W. Simmonds and A. S. Gomes is to be played on the Kowloon Bowling Green Club green to-day.

PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP.

W. E. Hollands and J. J. Gregory qualified for the fourth round of the pairs championship by beating H. H. Rose and J. S. Logan in their unfinished match. The winners will meet J. E. Noronha and B. Basto, this afternoon at the Hongkong Electric green.

RINKS CHAMPIONSHIP.

The last of the quarter final rinks championship matches has been fixed for Sunday afternoon next on the Tai-koo R.C. green. The Craigengower's strongest rink, composed of R. F. Luz, B. W. Bradbury, H. Beer and U. M. Omar, are to play a quartette from the Club de Recreio consisting of L. J. Silva, L. F. Xavier, H. A. S. Alves and F. V. Ribeiro.

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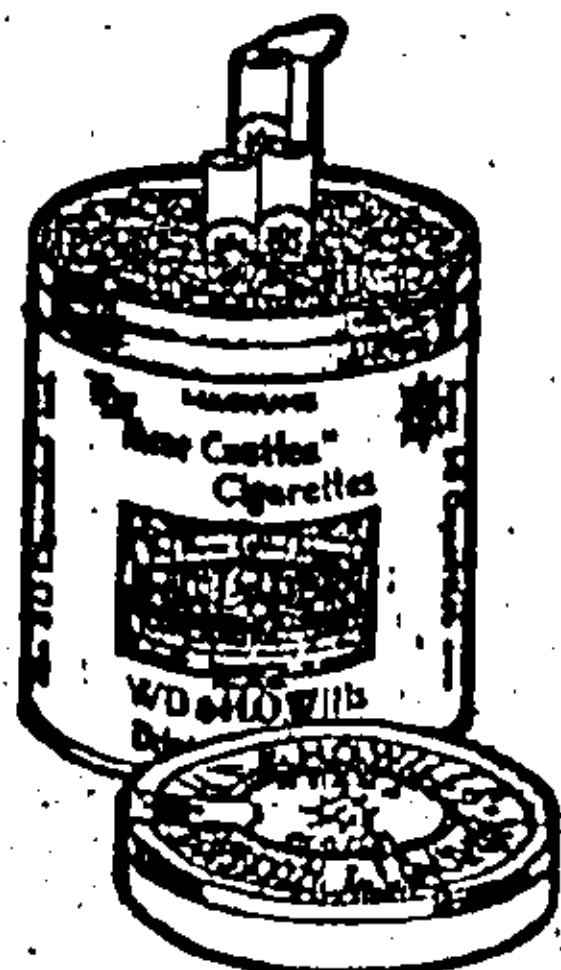
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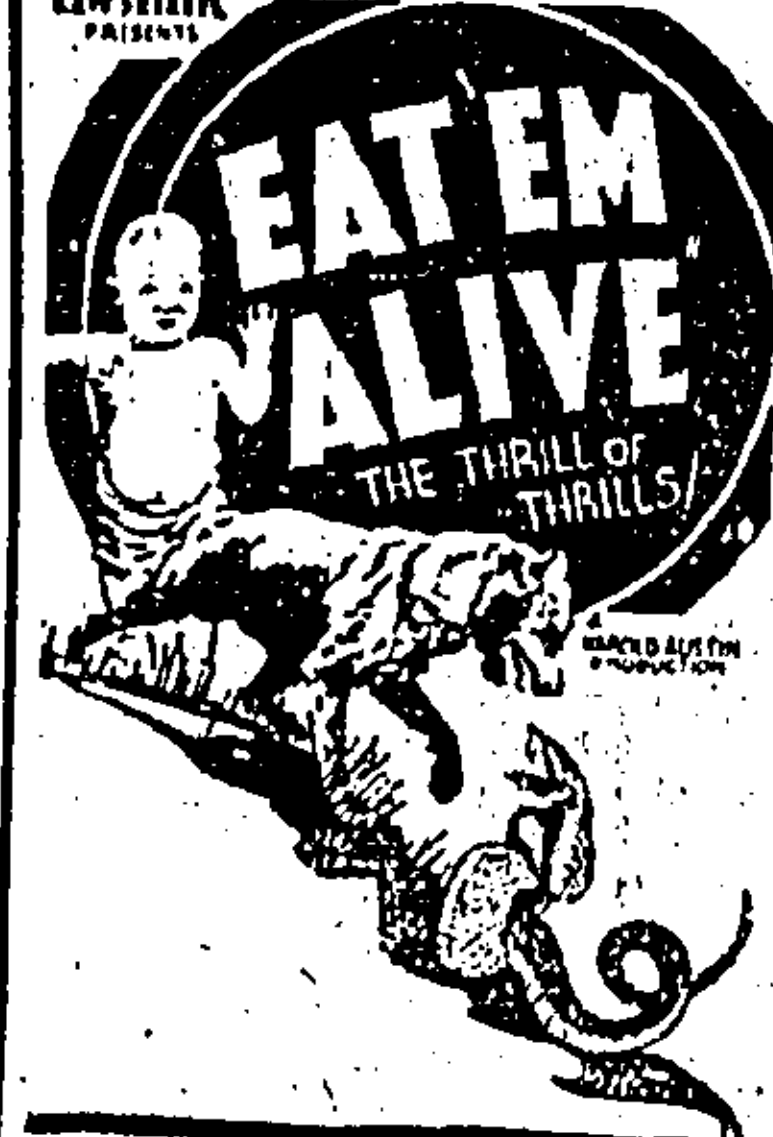


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of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are
being landed and placed at their risk
in the Godowns of the Hongkong
Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., Kowloon,
whence delivery can be obtained as
the goods are landed.Goods not cleared within 7 days
including date of arrival, will be
subject to rent.All claims must be sent to the
undersigned before Monday, 16th
July, 1934, or they will not be
recognized.Damaged Packages must be left in
the Godowns for examination by the
consignees, and the Company's Sur-
veyors Messrs. Goddard and Douglas
at 10.00 a.m. on Thursday, the 12th
July, 1934. Consignees must have a
Revenue Officer in attendance when
damaged dutiable goods are examined
by the Co's Surveyors.No claims will be admitted after
the goods have left the Godowns.
No Fire Insurance will be effected
by us in any case whatever.R. OHL,
Agent.

Hongkong, 6th July, 1934.

THE EAST ASIATIC CO. LTD.
COPENHAGEN.The Danish Motor Vessel,
"CHILE"having arrived from Copenhagen,
Antwerp, and Hamburg, consignees of
cargo are hereby informed that all
goods are being landed and placed
at their risk into the hazardous
and/or extra hazardous Godowns of
The Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf
and Godown Co. Ltd., where delivery
can be obtained as soon as the goods
are landed.All broken, chafed and damaged
goods are to be left in the Godown,
where they will be examined by
Messrs. Anderson and Ashe on the
16th July, 1934, at 10 a.m.All claims against the vessel must
be presented to the Undersigned
within ten days of the ship's arrival,
or they will not be recognized.No Fire Insurance will be effected.
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The Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf
and Godown Co. Ltd., whence and/or
from the wharves delivery may be
obtained.No claims will be admitted after
the Goods have left the Godowns, and
all Goods remaining undelivered after
July 14, 1934, will be subject to rent.All claims against the steamer must
be presented to the Undersigned on
or before July 28, 1934, or they
will not be recognized.To comply with the General Bonded
Warehouse Regulations consignees
must have a Revenue Officer in
attendance when damaged dutiable
goods are examined.All broken, chafed, and damaged
Goods are to be left in the Godowns,
where they will be examined on
July 13, 1934, at 10 a.m. by Messrs.
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when every child in this Colony
shall have a space in which to
play free from danger to himself
and others," remarked the Colonial
Secretary, Hon. Sir Thomas
Southern, K.B.E., in declaring the
Wanchai Children's Playground
open yesterday afternoon. Sir
Thomas expressed regret at the
unavoidable absence of Mr. M. K.
Lo, President of the Hongkong
Rotary Club and Chairman of the
Executive Committee of the
Children's Playground Associ-
ation.The opening ceremony was perform-
ed in the pavilion on the east side
of the ground, which was bedecked
with flags and bunting for the
occasion.The Hon. Dr. S. W. T'so, past
President of the Rotary Club, pre-
sided, and read Mr. M. K. Lo's speech.
Sir Thomas's Address.Declaring the playground open, Sir
Thomas Southern said: It is a great
pleasure to my wife and myself to
be present here this afternoon for
the formal opening of this Wanchai
Children's Playground, but before I
proceed further I should like first to
express my regret, which I know you
all share, at the unavoidable absence
from our proceedings of Mr. M. K.
Lo, the Chairman of our Executive
Committee. I am sure you will all
wish to join with me in an expression
of sincere sympathy with Mr. Lo
and with his relatives in their recent
bereavement.We have listened with much in-
terest to Mr. Lo's brief history of our
Association read by Dr. T'so in which
Mr. Lo has given far too much credit
to my share in the work. He has
very rightly paid a high tribute to
Mr. McPherson without whose un-
tiring efforts these playgrounds would
never have come into existence.
(Applause). The poorer children of
the Colony are under a deep debt of
gratitude to Mr. McPherson for his
work on their behalf and we all great-
ly appreciate his devotion to this good
cause. I can supply one omission
from Mr. Lo's address. With his
natural modesty he refrained
from any mention of his own work.
I can tell you that Mr. M. K. Lo has
been a tower of strength to the Play-
grounds Association. He has given
us a great deal of his valuable time
and his keen interest and hard work
have contributed very largely to the
association's success.I should also like to take this oppor-
tunity of thanking the Executive
Committee and the officers of the
Association for their valued help.

Free from Danger.

Ladies and gentlemen, we look
forward to the day when every child
in this Colony shall have a space in
which to play free from danger to
himself and others. If we don't give
them playgrounds they will play in
the streets and you all know what
that means in these days of fast
moving traffic.We have made a small beginning
and I think the Association can be
congratulated on having six grounds
already in use. I have no record of
the figures of attendance at the newer
grounds but I think we can safely say
that more than 2,500 children use our
playgrounds every fine day. But
there are still thousands of children
unprovided for and we have our eyes
on several possible playgrounds. We
should like to take these over, but
ladies and gentlemen, we cannot do
it without funds. The Government
has, so far, provided all the grounds
and put them in order for our use,
and His Excellency has signified the
Government's approval of our schemes
and his own personal interest by ac-
cepting the office of Patron of our
Association. The Association will not
hesitate in asking the Government for
further grounds and in approaching
private individuals for the use of
small plots of vacant ground as
soon as it can see its way to equip
and run these grounds. For this
funds are urgently required. Several

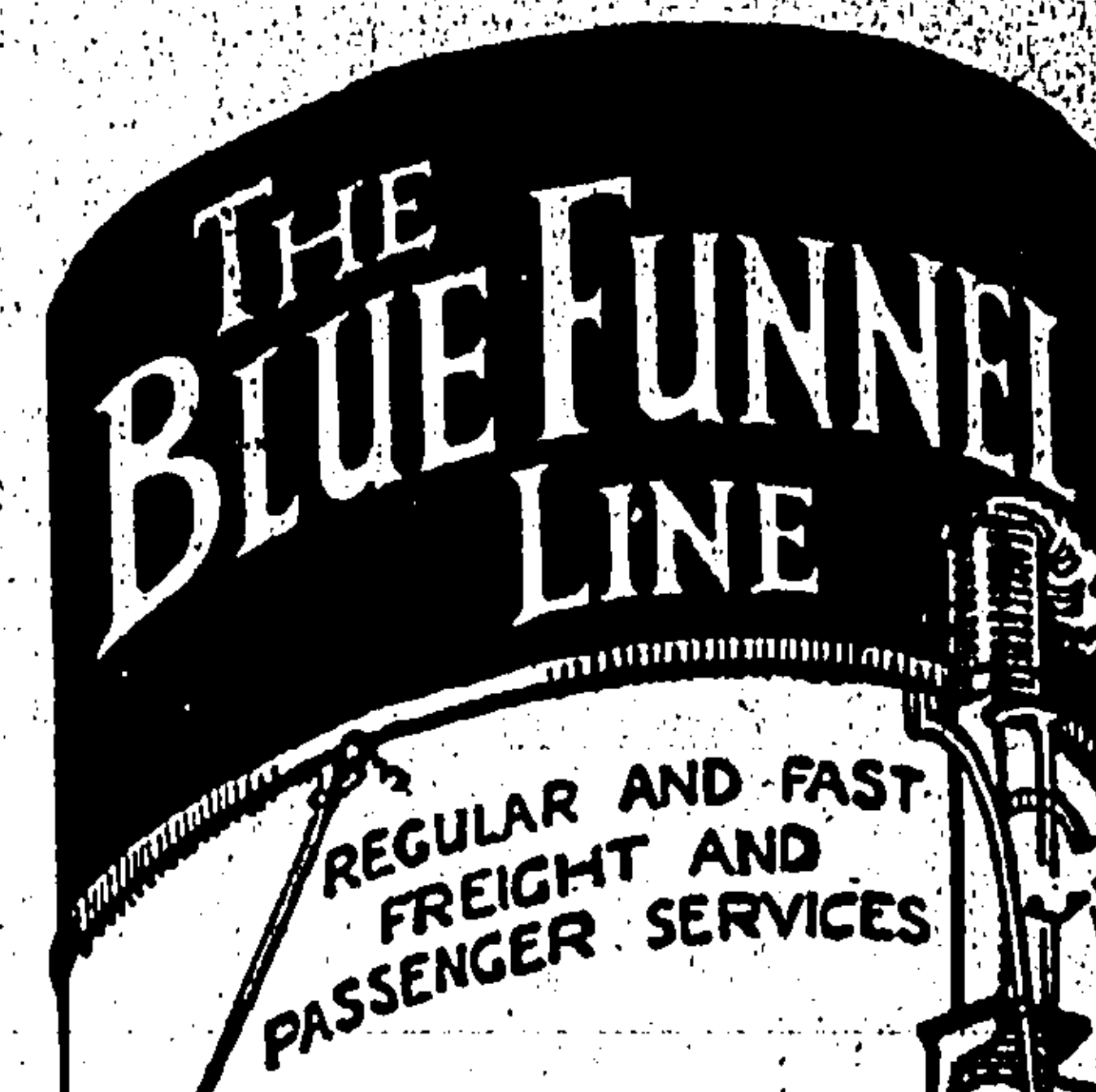
CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

HOLLAND-OOST-ASIE LIJN.
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ROTTERDAM, AMSTERDAM,
HAMBURG, GENOA, &
OTHER PORTS.The Steamship,
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consignees of cargo by her are notified
that all goods are being landed at
their risk into the hazardous and/or
extra-hazardous godowns of Holi's
Wharf whence and/or from the wharf
delivery may be obtained.Goods not cleared by the 15th July,
1934, p.m. will be subject to rent.All broken, chafed and damaged
packages are to be left in the godowns,
where they will be examined at
Holi's Wharf.Consignees are requested to apply
for a Revenue Officer in attendance
when damaged dutiable cargoes are
being examined.Claims against the steamer must be
presented in writing within ten days
after arrival of steamer, otherwise
they will not be recognized.No Fire Insurance will be effected
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Agents.of the Sporting Clubs responded gen-
erously to our original appeal address-
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of those for whom games are at pre-
sent impossible. We appeal to those
Clubs and Associations which have
not joined the Association to do so
as soon as they can afford it. It
costs them only \$50 a year for a Club
to become a member and several Clubs
have generously given us far more
than that.

Appeal for Subscribers.

I also appeal for individual sub-
scribers. Ten dollars a year makes
you an individual subscriber—and we
have not yet got twenty individual
subscribers. I hope that many of
those who hear or read this appeal
will take out their cheque books to-
morrow morning and send a cheque
for \$10 or more to our Hon. Treasurer,
Mr. S. W. Ho at the Chinese Y.M.C.A.
Thanks to the large amount of volun-
tary work which has been done for
us, it is costing us only \$75 a month
for each of the six grounds—including
upkeep wages of caretakers and re-
muneration of the instructors. The
instructors are an integral part of
our scheme, for the children we are
catering for cannot get full enjoyment
out of the grounds without someone
to organize the games. We thus
require \$5,400 a year for these
grounds alone and we are only in the
initial stages of our scheme. We
are all ready to go ahead and provide
more playgrounds as soon as the
funds are available.Now a word to the children. These
grounds are provided for your enjoy-
ment. We don't want you to play in
the streets where you are liable to be
run over by motor cars. We want
you to come and play on these play-
grounds. Don't any of you be afraid
to come. We welcome you all—the
more the merrier so bring all your
little friends and neighbours with you.
So long as you behave yourselves no
one will interfere with you and there
will be people here whose one desire
is to help you to enjoy yourselves.Ladies and gentlemen, I have very
much pleasure in declaring the Wan-
chai Playground open.Those Present.
Among those present were Sir
Thomas and Lady Southern, the Hon.
Sir William Shenton, the Chief
Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor and
Mrs. MacGregor, the Inspector Gen-
eral of Police, Hon. Mr. E. D. C.
Wolfe and Mrs. Wolfe, the Hon. Dr.
and Mrs. A. R. Wellington, the Hon.
Mr. R. H. Kotewall, the Hon. Mr. R.
M. Henderson, the Hon. Mr. G. R.
Sayer, the Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau, Mr.
J. L. McPherson, Rev. and Mrs. E. G.
Powell, Rev. G. T. Waldegrave, Mr.
T. B. Wilson, Mr. Justice P. Jacka, Mr.
T. H. King, Col. E. D. Matthews, Mr.
T. P. Tong, Mr. F. H. Losby and Mr.
S. V. Boxer.Following the opening ceremony,
there was an exhibition of games
given by the children, which was
watched with much interest.

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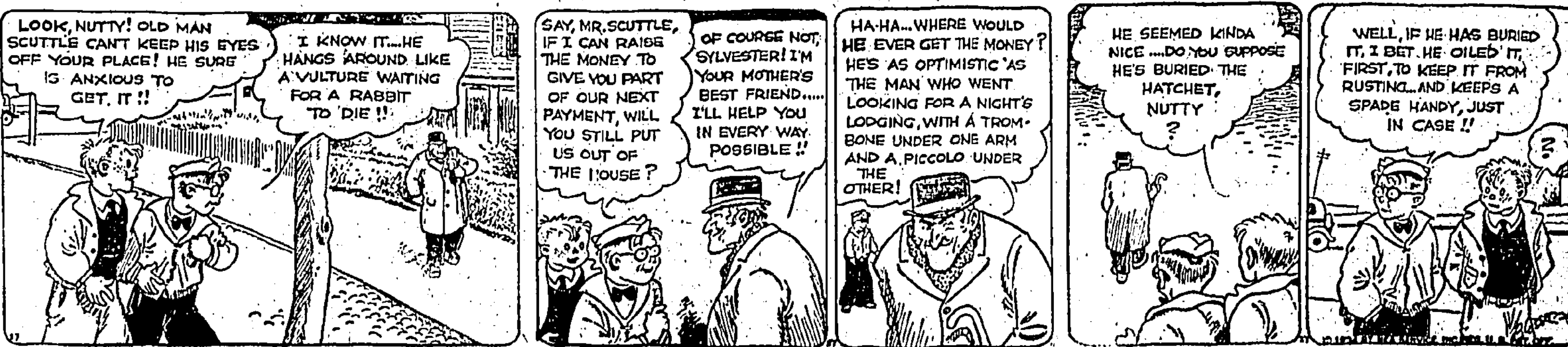
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DEATH OF COOLIE.

MISADVENTURE VERDICT IN ABERDEEN FATALITY

"We find death was due to misadventure due to neglect or carelessness not, however, involving criminal responsibility, on the part of the contractor and his sub-contractors, in not seeing that the extra lights installed were safe."

"We would recommend that in future such installations should be inspected by the P. W. D., where work is being undertaken on their behalf."

This verdict was returned by a Jury at the Inquiry into the death of Yip Siu-wan, a coolie, aged 38, who was electrocuted at the Aberdeen Reservoir on June 4.

The inquiry was continued by Mr. MacFadyen, sitting with a Jury comprising of Messrs. J. C. Taylor (foreman), Li Hon-sing and Wong Sik-wai.

Yesterday, evidence was given by Tso Ping, master of the Tso Ping Kee electricians shop at No. 41 Main Street, Aberdeen.

Witness said that Cheng Ngai, his fook, was engaged to do the work, after the contract was made, it was shown to him, and he fixed the chop of the firm. Witness carried out the work for the installation of 16 lights in the reservoir and 14 lights in the space where the tracks were, and 11 lights and two sockets outside the matcheds. From the two sockets another 29 lights were installed.

After the completion of the work, they sent a letter to the Electric Company to conduct an inspection. Before they began the work, they made an application for the installation of 11 lamps and two sockets. They made this application in consequence of the contract. He personally installed the 11 lamps and the two sockets. He did not know if the work was subsequently inspected. After that he did no more work at the reservoir. He fixed the chop on the original application himself, although it

HITLER INTERVIEWED

SAYS HE SAVED WORLD FROM CATASTROPHE

Paris, July 11.
The claim that he saved Germany from tragedy and civil war was made by Herr Hitler in an interview granted to Professor Alfred Pearson of Iowa, and published in the European edition of the New York Times.

Referring to the recent dissensions in Nazi ranks, Herr Hitler said that men in whom he had every confidence had conspired to overthrow the Government. It was his strict duty to sacrifice a few traitors, actuated only by personal ambitions, rather than allow the country to be swallowed up in the horrors of civil war.

The German Government remained unchanged, he said, and would not swing either to the right or to the left, but would continue to follow a straight line.—Reuter.

was filled in by somebody else. He installed two sockets, one for 14 and the other for 16 lights, in spite of the fact that the application was only for ten lights. He was instructed by Yip Ching-ping, a partner in the Union Construction Company, to install the additional lights. He had never seen the conditions of the Electric Company. He was satisfied that the lights were safe. He did not know of the subsequent alterations or the addition of lights.

Cheung Chan-ngai, a winch driver employed by Yip Ching-ping, said that he first began work, after the installation of 40 electric lights. From time to time he had himself made additions to this total, with about 30 lights. He installed these lights on the instructions of Yip, his employer, who gave him the bulbs. He did not install any sockets, but only installed the bulbs and shifted the position of lights not fit for use. The lights he put in at the reservoir were connected by plugs to the sockets.

ROYAL FUNERAL

PRINCE HENRY OF HOLLAND BURIED

The Hague, July 11.
Headed by a white horse, drawn by eight black horses, the funeral cortege of Prince Henry of Holland, the Prince Consort, left for Delft to-day, followed by five carriages filled with flowers, including wreaths from His Majesty King George and the former Emperor of Germany.

Following, in order, came coaches conveying Prince Adolf of Mecklenburg, the brother of the late Prince, Prince Charles of Belgium and other distinguished personages.

Queen Wilhelmina and Princess Juliana, only daughter of the House and heir to the throne, stood together, dressed in white, and watched the departure of the cortege from in front of the Palace. Huge crowds lined the five mile route and 2,000 soldiers and sailors participated in the procession. The casket will be laid in the royal crypt at Delft.—Reuter.

NEW DEATH BEAM

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New York, July 11.
Nikola Tesla, world-famous electrician, announced to-day that he was perfecting a death beam, capable of the wholesale destruction of armies, fleets and aeroplanes.

Tesla believes that several years will elapse before his work is completed. When success is achieved, he will present his invention to all nations, thus insuring world peace.

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The Oxford-Cambridge match ended in a very even draw. Three centuries were made, nearly eleven hundred runs were scored, Oxford led on the first innings by fifteen runs, Cambridge making 400. At the close, Cambridge needed 103 to win with seven wickets in hand. Details in Page Eight.

**TERRORS
OF HYDROPHOBIA**
**MR. WYNNE-JONES'
WARNING**
**NO SYMPATHY IN
DOG OFFENCES**
Speaking of a woman who died from rabies at the Kowloon Hospital, Mr. Wynne-Jones said on his return to the Kowloon Magistracy this morning:
"I am just out of Hospital. I saw a woman there who died of rabies. I never want to see anything like that again as long as I live. It is about the most awful thing possible. There is rabies on the Castle Peak Road. I myself have seen dogs on the Castle Peak beaches led by Europeans. I think it is an awful crime, and I am going to stop it. I am not going to tell you how that woman died. The details would be too horrible. But when one thinks of small children running about who are likely to be bitten by a dog, people who infringe the regulations deserve no sympathy at all."
A.E. Simmons of the Far East Aviation Co., who was summoned for bringing a dog in from the New Territories, was fined \$50. Over a dozen other summonses were dealt with in respect of various breaches of the Regulations. J.B. Hall, of No. 7 Norfolk Road, was fined \$10 for allowing his dog to be at large without a muzzle.

VILLAGERS WARNED.
Various villages in New Kowloon were visited by the Police in the course of the week, and a number of the inhabitants were summoned for having unlicensed and unmuzzled dogs. Fines ranging from \$10 to \$15 were inflicted.
To a number of these villagers, Mr. Wynne-Jones said: "You people from Cheungshawan. It is going to cost a tremendous lot to leave your dogs out. I am going to put a stop to this."

**TWO WOMEN DIE
OF HYDROPHOBIA**
**ONE BROUGHT IN
FROM PINGSHAN**
The latest return of notifiable diseases discloses two cases of hydrophobia, one in Kowloon and the other from the New Territories.
The first of these cases is that of the Chinese woman who was admitted to Kowloon Hospital on Monday and who succumbed to the disease the following day. She had been bitten by a dog some six weeks previously whilst coming off a junk at Hungshom.
The other case is also that of a woman. Her name is Ng Shu-lin and she hails from the Pingshan district of the New Territories. She was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital yesterday. In a serious condition.
THE SHAH RETURNS
Telokran, July 12.
The Shah of Persia has returned from his visit to Turkey.—*Reuters.*

**TORN TO PIECES IN
GROUNDS**
**EIGHTY DOGS COMBINE IN ATTACK
ON SUPPOSED INTRUDER**
STROLL IN THE DARK
(Special to "Telegraph")
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received, July 12, 8.33 a.m.)
Simla, July 12.
The cousin of the Rajah of Athgarh was devoured last night by a pack of Alsatian dogs belonging to the Rajah.
The terrible tragedy was discovered after a search for the missing man which seemed to be fruitless until searchers came across a few bones strewn about a small area in the grounds of the Rajah's residence, and the circumstances connected with the victim's gruesome end were pieced together.
Apparently, the Rajah had a pack of eighty Alsatis, which he had bred himself, and which were allowed during the night to run loose about the grounds for the protection of the property. They appear to have made an attack in mass.

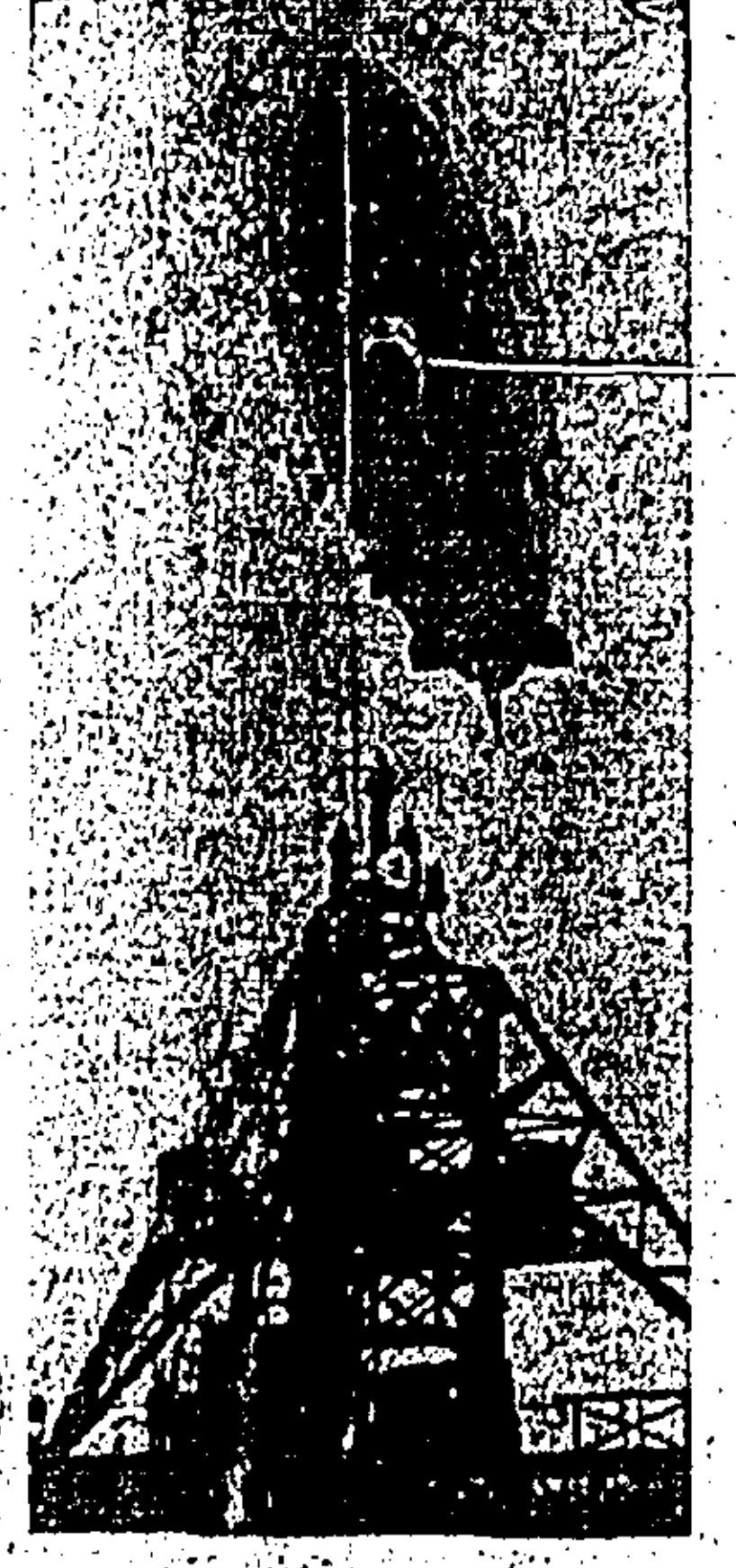
**Youthful
Blonde
Shot Dead**
**ATTEMPTING TO
ESCAPE FROM GAOL**
(Special to "Telegraph")
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received July 12, 11.41 a.m.)
New York, July 11.
Widespread comment throughout the United States has followed the report of the death of a woman prisoner, who was shot down in attempting to escape from a penitentiary.
The shooting occurred at Little Rock, Arkansas, and the victim was Miss Helen Eaton, youthful blonde who is believed to have got mixed up with gangsters.
It is alleged that Helen stole a revolver and returned the fire when pursuing officers called upon her to surrender.
She was shot dead.—*United Press.*

**\$26 PICTURE SOLD
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**SURPRISING PRICE
AT SOTHEBY'S**
(Special to "Telegraph")
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received July 12, 2.21 a.m.)
London, July 11.
Some excited bidding took place at Sotheby's, the famous art auctioneers, to-day when a small Romney picture was offered for sale. The painting was a portrait of the children of the Earl of Warwick and it fetched only 25 guineas when it was offered in 1868.
To-day, it was bid up to the surprising figure of \$3,700.—*Reuters Special.*

**M. PIETRI MEETS
MR. DAVIS**
**FRANCO-AMERICAN
NAVAL TALKS**
(Special to "Telegraph")
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received July 12, 9.09 a.m.)
London, July 11.
Naval conversations between delegates of France and the United States, preparatory to the 1935 Conference, were formally opened at 6.20 p.m.
M. Pietri and the French naval attaché, Commandant Lathau, visited Mr. Norman Davis and Admiral Richard Leigh at Mr. Davis's hotel. Talks of a preliminary nature lasted for an hour.
Mr. Claud Swanson, Secretary of the Navy Department, announced in Washington to-day that the U.S.S. *Los Angeles*, the dirigible, has been condemned as unfit for flight.—*United Press.*

**U.S. WANTS MORE
BATTLESHIPS**
**THINKING OF TWO
35,000-TONNERS**
Washington, July 11.
The United States is awaiting the result of the London Naval Conference in 1935 before deciding whether to build at least two more 35,000-ton battleships.
Mr. Claud Swanson, the Navy Secretary, to-day admitted that the plans for the ships have already been prepared.
They would be built if it was necessary to build them.
The United States, he said, desired large battleships but assumed that a limit of 35,000 tons would be provided for.—*Reuters.*

SILVER MARKETS
Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following cable advices on the London and New York silver markets:
London, July 11th.—The silver market closed firm, with buyers for forward at 20.13/16.
New York, July 11th.—Silver quotations approximated London parity. The market was inactive, but closed steady.



A copyright United Press message from Washington announces that the American dirigible, *Los Angeles*, shown above at her berth, has been condemned by the Navy Department as unfit for flight.

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**THE GASWORKS
DISASTER**
**INQUIRY VERDICT TO-
MORROW**
Mr. E. W. Hamilton, who, as Coroner, has been conducting the inquiry into the gasworks explosion disaster, with the aid of a jury, announced at the Central Magistracy this morning that the verdict will be given at 12.15 p.m. to-morrow.
HOLLYWOOD TO BLAME.
Like Weissmuller's former wife, "Bobby" Arnet, the New York actress who divorced him in September, 1932, for "extreme mental cruelty," Lupe Velez declares that she still loves him, but they cannot get on together.
Miss Arnet's verdict is that Hollywood is to blame.
"To shove that boy into a community of sharp-shooting women is like sending your cousin to a pick-pocket's convention. With a physique like Johnny's it is like throwing a fatted calf into a cage of lions. They tell him how wonderful he is. He just rolls his eyes and Hollywood has him."—*United Press.*

WHOLESALE PRICES RISE
London, July 11.
An increase of 1.2 per cent in the average of wholesale prices in June is revealed in the Board Trade Index number statistics. Decreases were shown in each of the three preceding months.—*British Wireless.*

The destroyers *Whithead* and *Veteran* arrived from Weihaiwei this morning. H.M.S. *Phoenix* called for Weihaiwei to-day.

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The yard is used for dressing stone in connection with the building of the New Hongkong and Shanghai Bank headquarters and early yesterday afternoon a dispute arose between two workmen over the possession of a certain piece of granite.
FLYING ROCKS.
The dispute became general when other workmen joined in and sides were taken by members of the different groups.
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**Martial Law Reported
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Shanghai, July 12.
It is reported from Nanking, in to-day's *China Press* that martial law has been declared along the Shanghai-Kiaochow section of the Peking-Hankow Railway, that the Japanese guards have been increased and that an armoured train has been sent out on patrol.
The action follows reports that Communists are planning to destroy bridges to disrupt Sino-Japanese relations.—*Reuters.*

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**Typhoon
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**DISTURBANCE NEAR
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The typhoon was notified at 10 o'clock this morning as being situated in Long. 117, Lat. 22, moving north-west. This places the disturbance about 200 miles due east of Hongkong.
If the typhoon continues to move on its present track, it should pass about 100 miles to the north and east of Hongkong.
WIND TO FRESHEN.
The Royal Observatory report states that pressure is highest in the vicinity of the Bonins and relatively low over N. China and the China Sea. A small depression or typhoon is situated about 150 miles E.S.E. of Hongkong apparently moving N.W.
Local forecast:—North to West winds, moderate, freshening considerably, cloudy, with rain later.

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Novel Accessories, Real Flowers Enter Decorative Scheme



A Molyneux ensemble (left) includes a printed crepe gown in white, brown and yellow and a matching cape trimmed with black feathers. Dillkusha's beach overalls (right) of black handkerchief that crosses under the wide shoulder straps.

By Rosette Hargrove

Paris.—The midsummer fashion story is going to be one of modernistic prints, modernistic hats not to speak of unusual and original accessories.

Molyneux opened the mid-season summer shows with a number of delightful printed silk suits, suavely tailored and belted in coloured organdie. These belts have howties and streamers, worn on the side, often matching the bow at the neckline. The effect on the sober prints which he stresses for afternoon wear is distinctly novel and a change from the rather ubiquitous white organdie, plain or patterned.

Flowers—those that grow out of the ground and those that grow from the finger-tips of the renowned French flower-makers—appear to have been adopted not only as an important decorative factor, but also as a theme for the new evening line. Molyneux's new evening silhouette is distinctly reminiscent of a flower-stem, the impression becoming a certainty when he tops a dress with a flimsy cape of huge scarlet chiffon poppies, black-centred.

Floral straps to evening dresses had already appeared early in

February, ranging from the narrow flat straps made of small flowers like pansies, narcissi and others, to the generous ropes of field flowers mingling poppies, marguerites, cornflowers, buttercups with even a few whortens thrown in suggested by Marcel Rochas. Generous floral posies at the point of the corsage or at the waistbelt, often featuring the flowers suggested in the print in a natural or modernistic design or providing a vivid touch of art and colour to a plain chiffon or lace dress are perhaps more conventional, but still good.

Ardanse goes one better, though, enrolling the assistance of a well-known florist to fashion neckties, bracelets, rings and earrings of fresh blooms for her mid-season showing. One of these sets was expressed in pale yellow ranunculus and blue hyacinth blooms on a pale yellow chiffon evening gown. Another mingled narcissus and white hyacinth on white lace.

On this fresh flower theme, all sorts of original and individual combinations can be elaborated by the woman who has a sense of colour and form. She will gain added satisfaction in the knowledge that her idea cannot be so easily copied or if it is, she may

have already found another and never formula.

The mid-season shows undoubtedly will stress the large picture hat of fabric to match the dress or coat. Molyneux does this and so does Ardanse. A blue and white dress and jacket ensemble at Ardanse had an amusing tucked organdie jabot effect finishing the high neckline and a white-brimmed hat repeating the same handwork in the brim, also of organdie.

Another striking Ardanse ensemble featured a slim dress of fine black wool jersey, trimmed with an octagonal-shaped collar of pastel blue tussor with fine hand-drawn thread work. A pale blue swagger coat, three-quarters length, collarless and with pagoda sleeves was topped by large picture hat of the same blue.

White linen and fine white pique, as well as crash, will fashion some of the becoming picture hats that will be seen at garden-parties and racetracks later on in the season. Women appreciate the cool and becoming frame the hats provide for the face on a hot day besides the wonderful faculty they possess of "dressing up" the simplest black or navy frock, especially if completed by crisp white gauntleted gloves and a touch of white at the neck.

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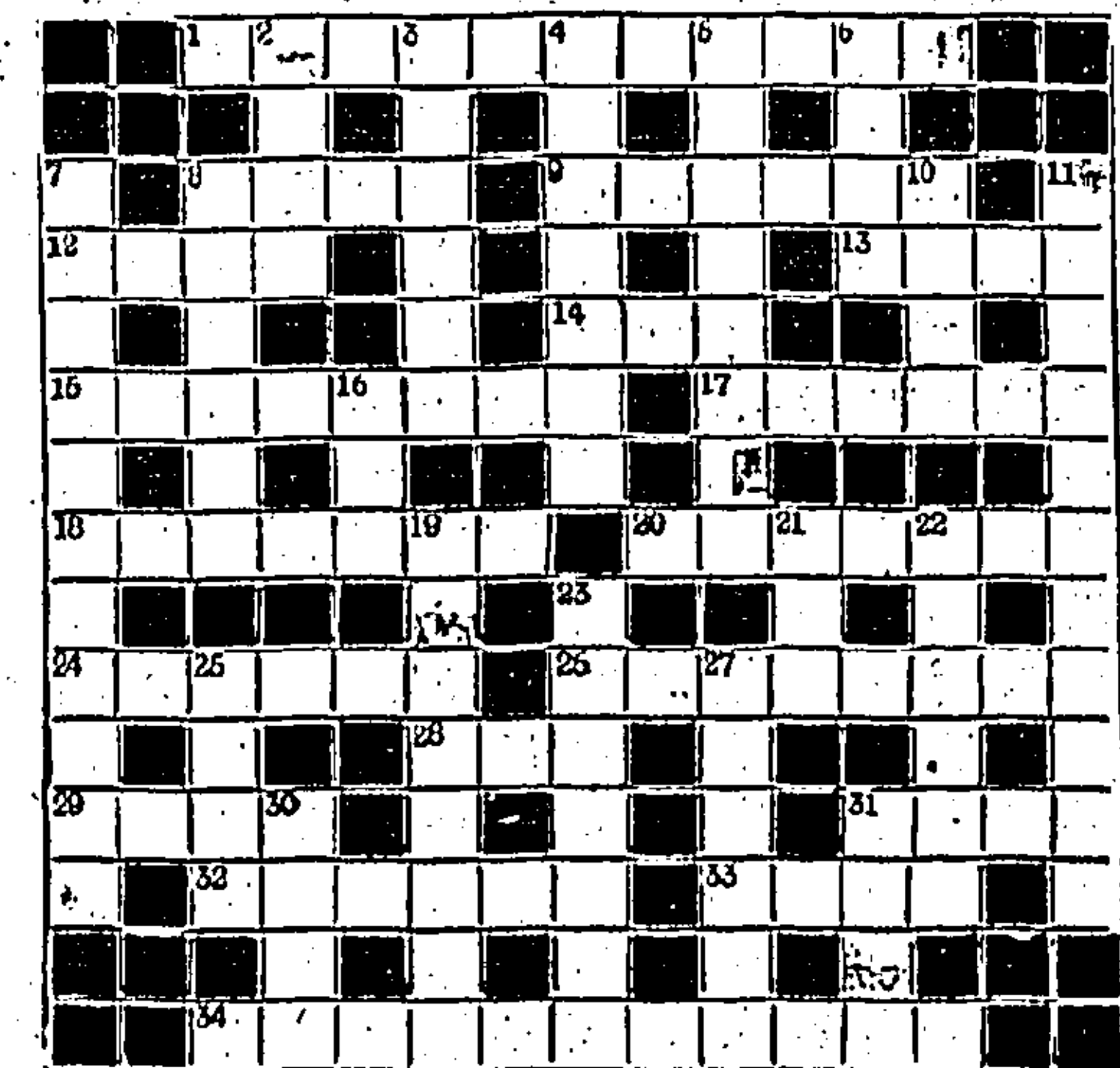
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- 12 Empty.
- 13 Title.
- 14 A tough timber.
- 15 Check from trainers, for jockeys perhaps.
- 17 We go to this station to find us in a school.
- 18 A boy and a noise make a play.
- 20 A loyal and royal supporter.
- 21 The alarm-bell.
- 25 This Cambridge college could never be entirely unoccupied.
- 26 A piece of furniture.
- 29 Much the same as gumption.
- 31 What the bad hair fears.
- 32 Flag.
- 33 An African.
- 34 A devil starts to show off.

Down

- 2 A battle cruiser.
- 3 European capital.
- 4 Kind of country where a bird is always in the land.
- 5 Meal that sounds as if it is announcing that it is being served.
- 6 How the kind of building been discarded?
- 7 Plant that should please the Aberdonians, though in one way it resembles a scorpion.
- 8 Sit partly in the broken sea for the rest.
- 10 Conduit.

- 11 With no sense in it yet describing "minor".
- 16 Liberate.
- 19 As you need a hint you will find the end inside.
- 21 Feminine name.
- 22 Visual.
- 23 Town of India where an English actor appears.
- 25 Fish.
- 27 Some simple country actor perhaps.
- 30 One of the wise men from the ages.
- 31 A palindromic sound from the roads.

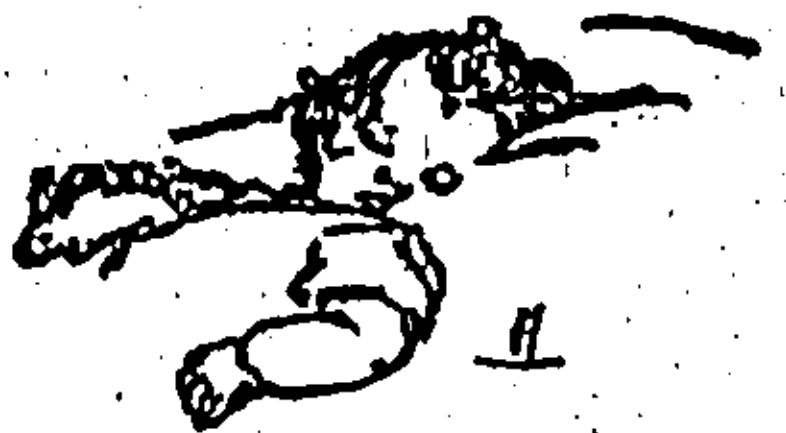
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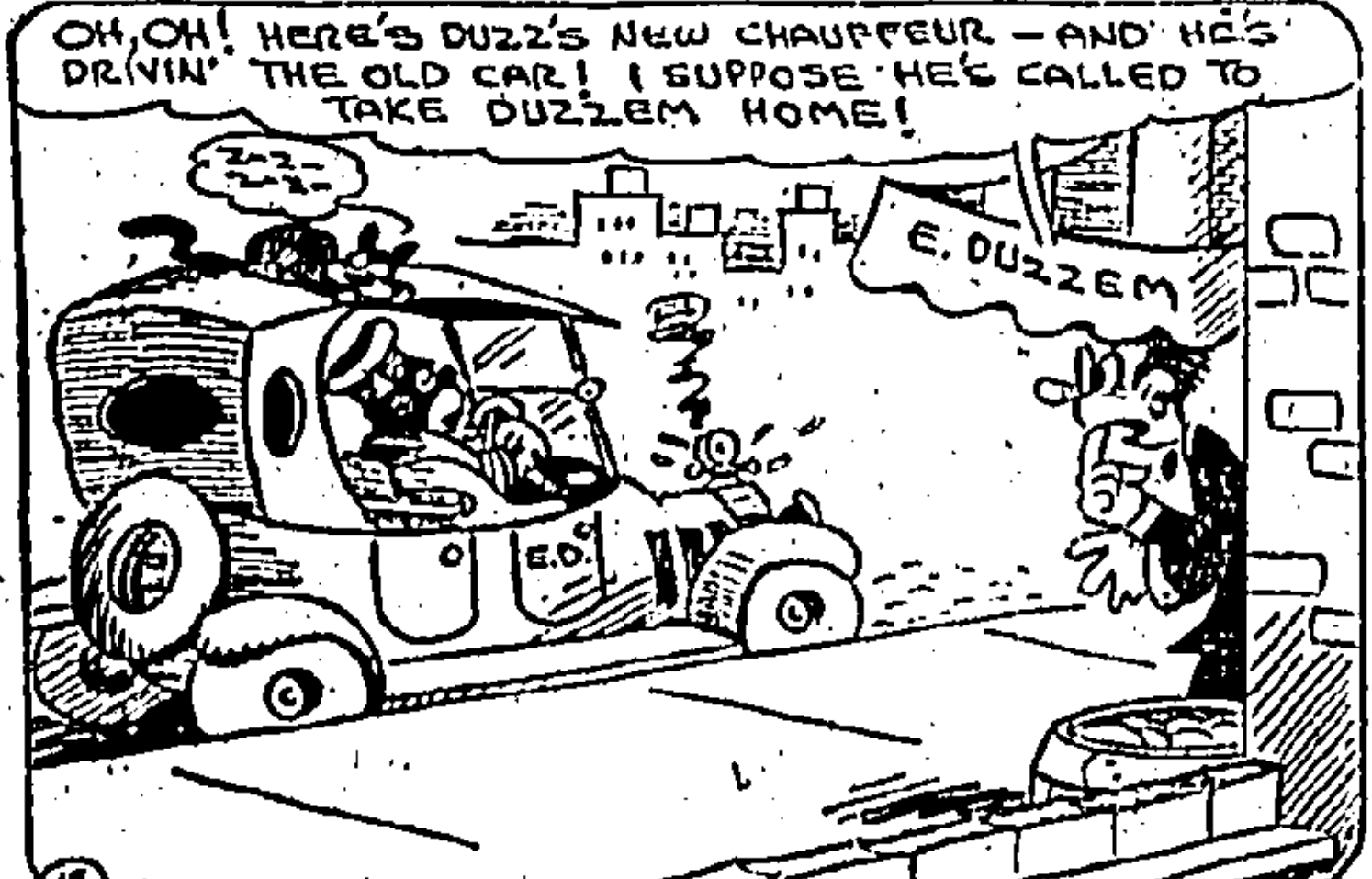
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CHAPTER I

"No, I'm not going with you and you know you don't mind." Jane, very slim and pink and defiant, hung over the banister at the top of the stairs and threw the words down at her waiting aunt.

"They invited you and you accepted. What will I say?" Miss Rosa Terry offered this question mildly, meanwhile fitting new white gloves on her plump white hands.

"Say I've got lots of pleasant things to do than go to their old tea."

"What, for instance?"

"Tell Mrs. March that I'm right in the middle of 'Ann Veronica' and can't bear to stop. She won't let Louise read it."

"I'm to tell Mrs. March that although you said you'd come to her tea you are reading a book she disapproves of and couldn't bear to stop." The gloves were on now and Miss Rosa was turning in front of the long hall mirror. She was elegant in dark violet taffeta and a violet toque with a white dotted veil. Her purple and white striped parasol with an ivory handle waited on the table with her shiny dark purple leather handbag. She annoyed Jane. She was so comfortably about, so inexpressively serene.

"I don't care what you tell Mrs. March," Jane said angrily. "She's an old cat, and I won't go there to be looked at the way she looks at me and then picked over afterward. Who is she to make the rules for the young people of this town anyway? If she'd keep better tabs on her angel darling Louise, she'd have plenty to do instead of watching the rest of us."

"You're peevish because she told me you went off with Henry Berwyn at that last beach picnic and stayed from nine to eleven-thirty and were pert to the chaperons when they spoke to you about it. It was silly. You know perfectly well you'd be talked about."

"I don't care if I am. I don't care what anybody says about me in this dump."

Miss Rosa picked up her bag and parasol, gave herself one last approving glance.

"If you don't care what people say about you, Jane, you can be very sure that people won't care what they say. And in a little city like Marburg where social circles are small and intimate, everybody's always under observation. It can't be helped. The only places where you can do conspicuous things and not be conspicuous are desert islands or big cosmopolitan cities."

"You've said that before!"

"I'll probably say it again."

Don't think that I mind if you talk to Henry Berwyn for two hours and a half steadily, though it must have been a chore. He's such a dumb boy. I know perfectly well you wouldn't have done it except you thought it would shock and bother the chaperons. You're too smart to enjoy being with Henry but you're not smart enough to see what a losing game it is to do something you don't enjoy for the sake of appearing odd and different and making people notice you and disapprove of you. It's just a form of vanity, my dear. With the last word Miss Rosa opened the front door and was on the other side of it before an answer could catch her.

Jane came dashing furiously downstairs but Miss Rosa had walked fast and as she reached the pavement she was fortunate enough to meet two ladies whom she knew, also dressed up and on their way to the March tea, so she proceeded with them triumphantly, having managed to read Jane a lecture on the beach affair and escape without a scene. Miss Rosa Terry detected scenes, just as she detected a hard bed, a badly cooked dinner, a poor partner at whist, and scratches on her furniture; but in the 15 years since she had taken her brother's orphaned daughter to live with her—Jane was then a lovely, dimpled, willful five-year-old—she had never, not once, tried to correct or admonish Jane without drama. To-day Miss Rosa smiled to herself at her success in dodging all but the prelude. They had not reached the big act where Jane always threw up her hands and stormed and sobbed that she was the most unhappy girl in the world, that no one cared what she did or how she felt.

Through the old-fashioned ruby glass side panel of the door Jane watched Miss Rosa out of sight angrily. "Old people are horrible," she thought confusedly. "They don't want anybody young to be happy." She had expected that her aunt would urge her to go to the tea and really she wanted to go and show off her new gorgonzola, a startling black and scarlet which she'd insisted on having though Miss Rosa and the dressmaker had begged her to choose either pale yellow or Nile green. Of course, she could skip into the dress and appear late at the March's but then Aunt Rosa would say, "Oh, I knew you'd come," and that would be unbearable. She picked up her book and read on with a sense of being tantalized and cheated, not only about the March tea but

about her whole life.

Marburg wasn't even a county seat, just a nice old sprawling college town with a few factories at the west end to give a faint flavour of commerce. And Marburg College was just a nice old sprawling college with only one claim to distinction, that great geologist Professor Benjamin Elliott, whose name and work were known wherever civilized man considered the earth's bones. The Elliott Geological Museum was small but authentic and complete and scholars from all over the world came to see it.

Two lines of thought went on side by side in Jane's head as she read, both slight but distinct. The first was regret that she couldn't do something exciting, and the second that there was no man she had ever met at all like Ann Veronica's ruddy blond Capes. Presently Jane dropped her book and hunted in the bottom bureau drawer for the pack of cigarettes she had hidden there. At least she could smoke and Aunt Rosa disapproved of girls' smoking. So did everyone else in Marburg. Even Jane didn't have the daring to buy cigarettes for herself in the local tobacco shops. Henry Berwyn had given her these and that was Henry's greatest attraction, though he didn't know it.

Jane smoked gloomily and choked when she tried to inhale. If there were only something exciting to do! She stared around the room, hating the dark, tall dresser, the massive high bed, the large roses on carpet and wallpaper, the knotted spread, the pair of alabaster vases on the mantel. "Looks as if General Grant chose it," she announced aloud, "with his whiskers!" Aunt Rosa might be liberal-minded on the subject of Henry Berwyn, but when it came to changes in her house she was rock. The room had the solidity of her will.

When the cigarette was at last finished, somewhat to Jane's relief, she wrapped the ashes and butt in a wad of crumpled paper, put it into the wastebasket and went down to telephone to her dearest friend. Amy Lowe had probably gone to the March's, but she'd be sure.

No, Amy was at home. "What are you doing?" asked Jane. "Let's have some tennis. The courts ought to be dry enough by now." Amy hesitated. "Why don't we just go for a walk?"

Immediately Jane was bent on tennis. "I want to do something with some action to it. Walking bores me to death."

"All right," said Amy, resignedly. "I'll come by for you as soon as I change my shoes."

They would play on the college courts, though these were not open to the townspeople during vacation. Amy's father was professor of history, and faculty families were privileged to use courts, library and the enclosed gardens of the administration building. By the time Jane had put on her own tennis shoes and taken her racket from its case Amy had arrived.

"Why didn't you go to the March's party?" asked Jane as they started.

"Mother wanted to go so I stayed with Grandpa; he isn't so well to-day. I did nearly an hour's extra practice. Lucky thing Grandpa likes it, poor old lamb! Father came in just when you phoned. That's why I could leave."

"What do you think you'll ever do with your music? You slave away at it and you play people's accompaniments and now and then you play the organ in church, but I don't see what it gets you!"

"I love doing it. I enjoy it. What more could it get me than that?"

Jane frowned. "That's very philosophic, I suppose. Oh, I do wish there was something I liked doing, something I could devote myself to, something big and grand and thrilling! This town's as dead as ditchwater. There's nothing here."

"Well, you're awfully clever, Jane. Anything you wanted to do, you'd make go." Amy offered this

in all sincerity.

"I know I could," Jane sighed. "Aunt Rosa called me down about the beach picnic."

"Did Mamma March tell her? You might have known she would. So that's why you didn't go to the tea. What did Miss Rosa say?"

"She said I was too smart really to enjoy talking to Henry but not smart enough to see what a fool I am to do something I don't enjoy for the sake of shocking people. She said it was my vanity."

"There's one nice thing about your Aunt Rosa," said Amy, considering this. "She always talks like a human being. She doesn't lay down the law, but sort of puts the subject before you and you're free to use your own judgment."

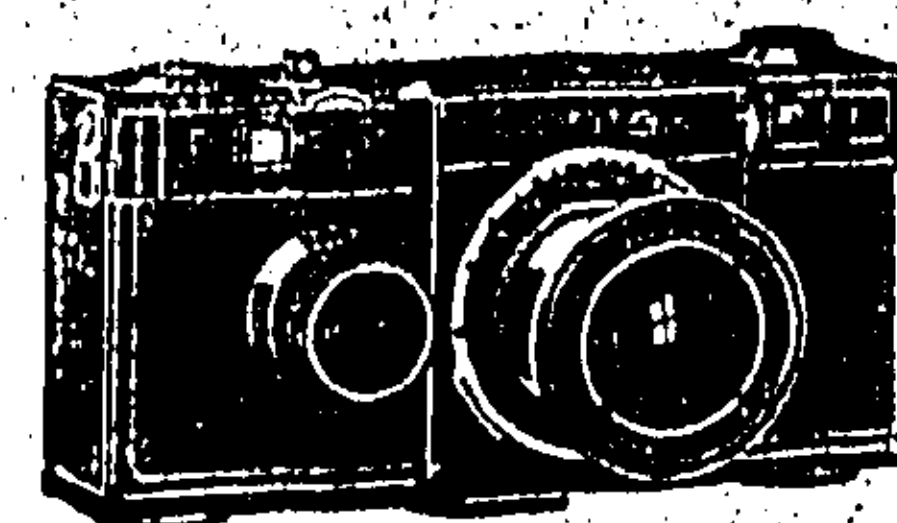
"You ought to be her niece instead of me!" Jane began to look dark and tragic.

Amy quickly changed the subject. "I'm thankful that commencement's over and all the boys gone. Father's Sunday night student suppers bored me terribly this year."

"The boys like them, though. Everybody says your father's the most popular professor in college." Jane spoke absently. She had no interest in any topic but herself.

The tennis courts were at the back of the gymnasium and as the two girls turned to the patch across the campus Amy stopped. "Wait, you'd make go." Amy offered this

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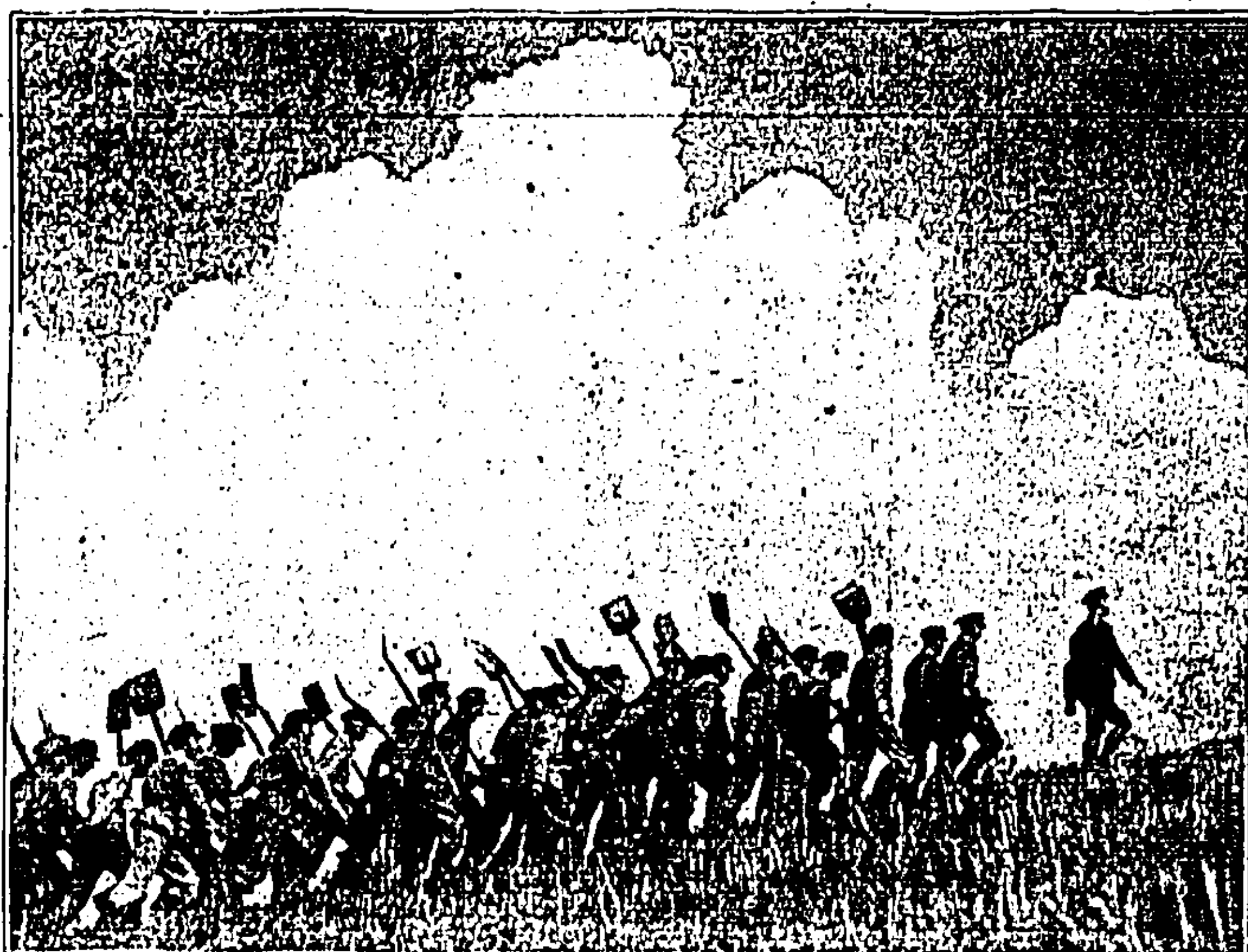
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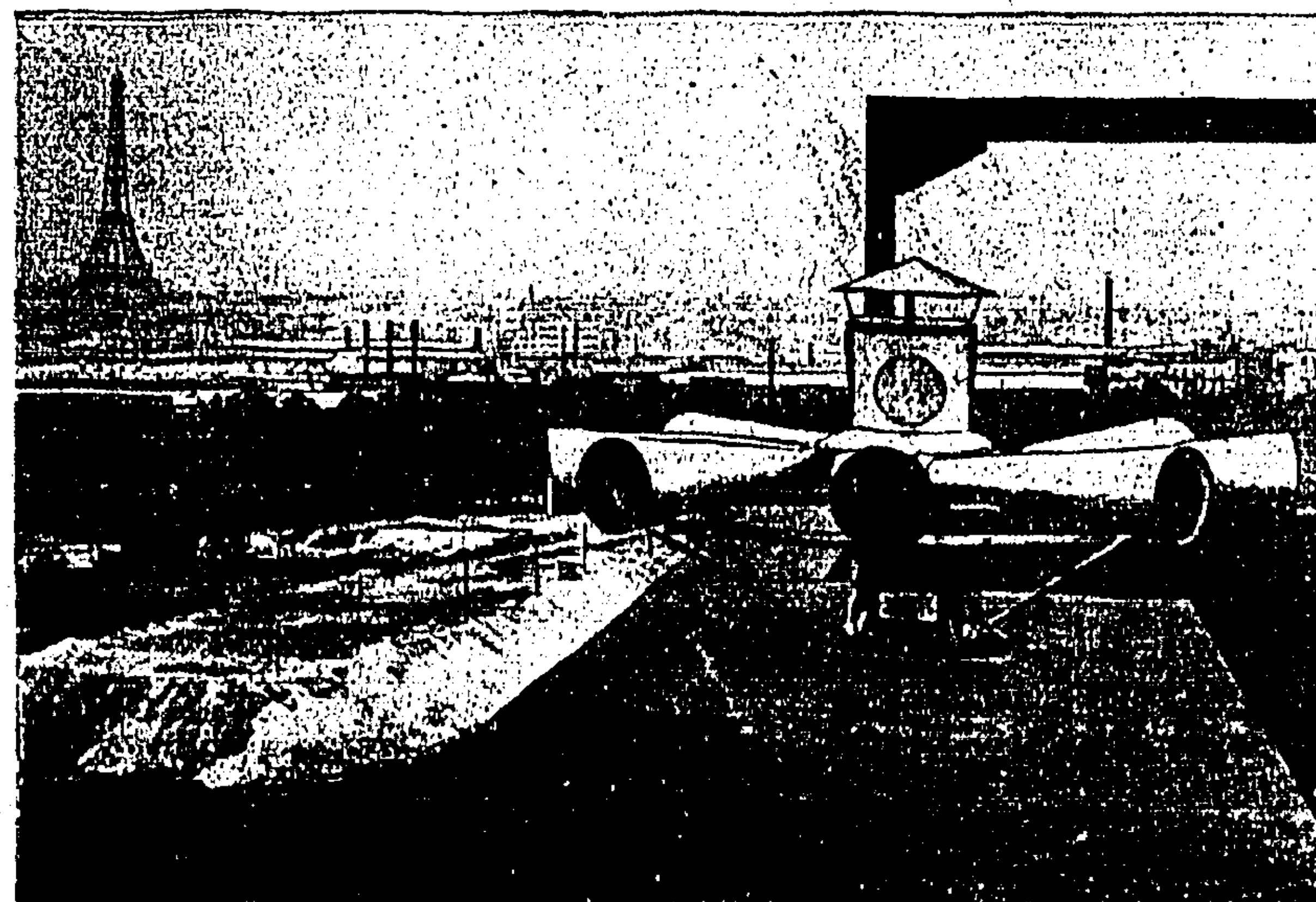
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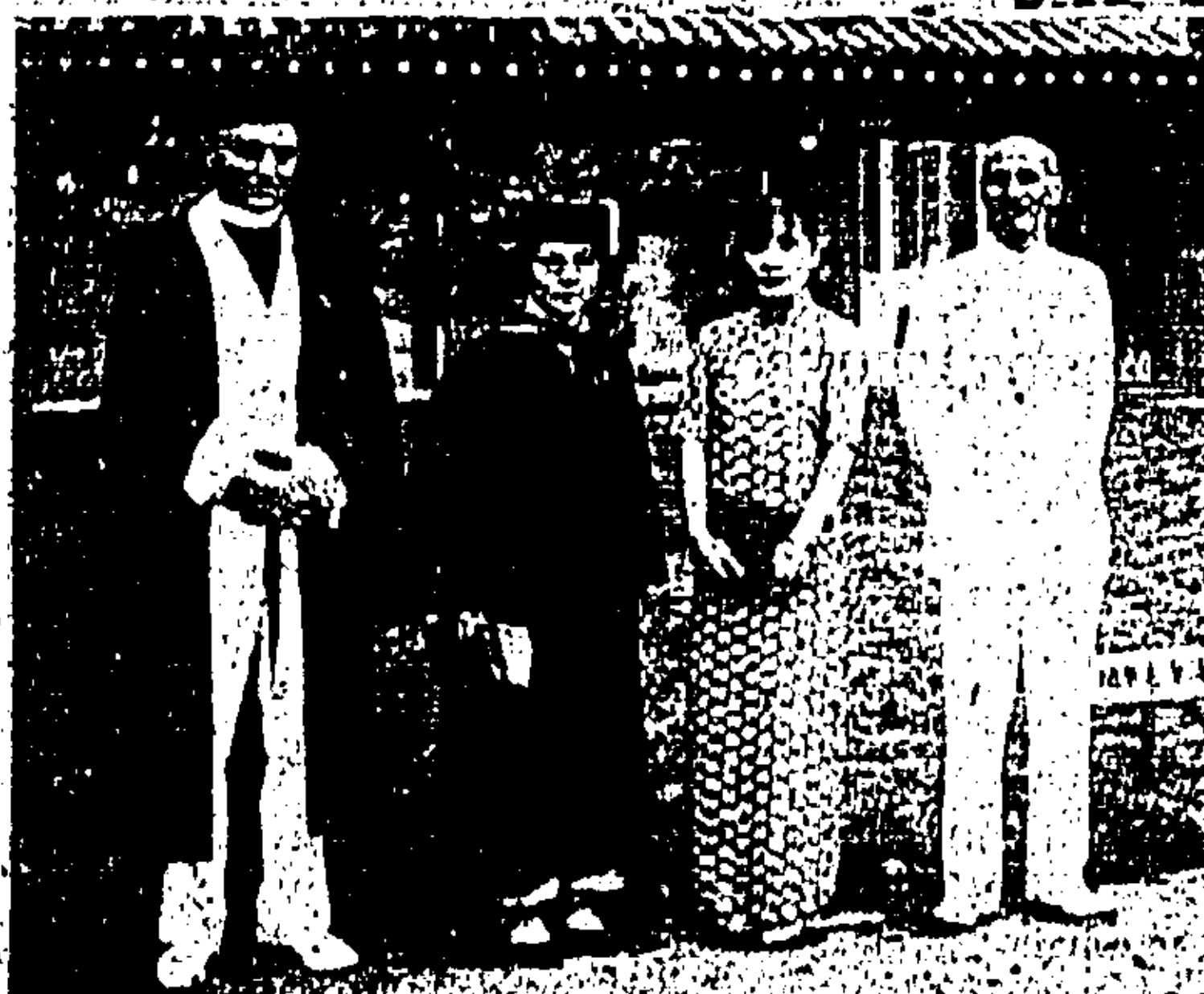
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East Asia Bank, \$84 n.
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Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$290 n.
Union Ins., \$535 a.
China Underwriters, \$120 n.
China Fire, \$510 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$228 n.
International Asso., \$6 n.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$41 1/2 n.
H.K. Steamships, \$7 n.
Indo-China, (Prof.), \$90 n.
Indo-China, (Def.), \$88 n.
Shells (Bentley), \$48 1/2 n.
Union Waterboats, \$12 1/2 n.

Mineral.

Antamoks, 60 cts. s.
Baltico, \$32 1/2 n.
Baguio Coal, 42 cts. s.
Benguet, \$30 n.
Benguet Exploration, 18 cts. b.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.
Gold Creek, \$2 n.
Gold River, 20 1/2 cts. n.
Ipo Mining, \$220 b.
Logans, \$5 a.
Kailan, 18/- n.
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Shai Explorations, Sh. \$5 n.
Shai Loans, Sh. \$6 1/2 n.
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New Engineering, Sh. \$5 n.
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Yaumati Ferries, \$21 b.
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Apr/June 2 1/4
Market:—Quiet.

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LATEST AMERICAN QUOTATIONS

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Cotton.		July 11.	
		Closing	
		Range	
July	12.46	12.70-12.80	
October	12.56	12.98-13.00	
December	12.79	13.13-13.15	
January	12.85	13.19-13.20	
March	12.94	13.27-13.28	
May (1935)	13.02	13.36-13.37	
Spot	12.70	13.00	

Chicago Wheat.

		July 11.	
		Closing	
		Range	
July	87 1/2	92 1/2-92 3/4	
September	88 1/2	93 1/2-93 3/4	
December	89 1/2	95-95 1/2	
Total sales	12,173,000 bushels		
	10,009,000 bushels		

Winnipeg Wheat.

		July 11.	
		Closing	
		Range	
July	76 1/2	83-83 1/2	
October	78 1/2	84 1/2-84 3/4	
December	79 1/2	85 1/2-85 3/4	

Silver.

		July 11.	
		Closing	
		Range	
September	46.90	47.15-47.20	
October	46.85	47.20-47.25	
December	46.95	47.47-47.55	
January	47.25	47.47-47.55	
March	47.75	48.08-48.08	
May	48.60	48.70-48.70	
Total sales	11 lots	18 lots	

EXCHANGE RATES

		July 11.	
		Closing	
		Range	
Paris	76.12/32	76.13/32	
Geneva	16.47 1/2	16.47 1/2	
Berlin	13.14 1/2	13.14	
Helsingfors	22 1/2	22 1/2	
Oslo	19.90 1/2	19.90 1/2	
Athens	52 1/2	52 1/2	
Milan	58.25/32	58.23/32	
Buenos Aires	36 1/2	36 1/2	
Shanghai	1.45 1/2	1.45 1/2	
New York	5.04	5.04	
Amsterdam	7.43 1/2	7.43 1/2	
Vienna	27	27	
Prague	121 1/2	121 1/2	
Bucharest	503	503	
Madrid	30.27/32	30.27/32	
Hongkong	1.15 1/2	1.15 1/2	
Brussels	21.58	21.58	
Stockholm	19.40	19.40	
Copenhagen	22.39 1/2	22.39 1/2	
Lisbon	110	110	
Bombay	176.1/16	176.1/16	
Yokohama	1.24 1/2	1.24 1/2	
Rio	4 1/2	4 1/2	
Montevideo	38 1/2	38 1/2	
Belgrade	222	222	
Moscow	4.98 1/2	4.98 1/2	
Silver (spot)	20.9/16	20.11/16	

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S MARKET FIRMER

According to Messrs. Swan Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was firmer yesterday. The Wall Street Journal reports:—The market firmed up due to the rise in commodities, following the strength of Wheat, with the exception of "wet" stocks which were adversely influenced as the result of the Government lifting the import restrictions on liquor. Wheat soared to the limit, in spite of profit-taking. The most wild excitement was seen due to the seasonally bullish Government crop estimates, after which trading came to a standstill as there were no offerings under top prices. Curb stocks were firm, while bonds went higher led by United States Government issues several of which again reached new high levels owing to the heavy demand from the banks. German issues ruled weak. Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz's New York office reports:—Stocks.—The market continued to show underlying strength and we look for higher prices. Business done—650,000 shares. Grain.—There is an accumulation of unfilled buying orders on the market. Prices must further adjust themselves to our serious supply and demand situation for both Wheat and Corn. Cotton: The market is strong. Spot Houses were active buyers and outside demand has increased. The weekly Cotton crop report is unfavorable in the West emphasizing the droughty conditions. It is reported that the Government will sell no Cotton this year. The South is selling moderately but, otherwise, offerings were scarce. Spots were dull but the basis was firm. Rubber: The market ruled steady. There was a moderate Trade demand but offerings were light. Dow-Jones Averages: July 10 July 11 Close Close

		July 11.	
		Closing	
		Range	
30 Industrials	98.07	98.07	
20 Rails	44.18	44.19	
20 Utilities	23.70	23.72	
40 Bonds	94.94	95.00	
11-Commodity Index	56.47	58.34	
15 Leading Stocks:			
Amer. Can.	100 1/2	100 1/2	
Amer. Smelting	42 1/2	42 1/2	
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	115 1/2	115 1/2	
Auburn	25 1/2	25 1/2	
D. I. Case	53 1/2	53 1/2	
Gen. Motors	21 1/2	21 1/2	
Int. Bond & Share	15	15	
General Motors	32 1/2	32 1/2	
Internat. Tel. & Tel.	12 1/2	12 1/2	
McIntyre Petroleum	40 1/2	40 1/2	
Montgomery Ward	29	29	
National Distillers	21 1/2	21 1/2	
N.Y. Central	20 1/2	20 1/2	
Scoony-Vacuum	16	16	
Union Pacific	121 1/2	121 1/2	
United Aircraft	18 1/2	18 1/2	
U.S. Steel	40 1/2	40 1/2	
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CAMERA AWAITS CLAIMANT

CHINESE FOUND IN POSSESSION

A new Kodak camera with case is awaiting a claimant at the Central Police Station, following the arrest of Cheun So-lam, 27, who pleaded guilty before Mr. Macfadyen this morning to a charge of unlawful possession.

Det. Sergt. Goodwin stated that the accused, when arrested in a pawnshop in Wing Lok Street, claimed the camera as his property. He later admitted that he had been "running" for a sly-house. He took a sailor, to whom the camera belonged, to a house in Swatow Lane. When the latter left he forgot his camera, and defendant took it.

A fine of \$10 or fourteen days, in default, was imposed.

A piece of lace, valued at \$5 per yard, was found in the possession of Lo Chung, aged 27, when he was arrested in Hollywood Road yesterday. He also was fined ten dollars or fourteen days.

Defendant originally claimed to be the owner, stating that he purchased the lace to be made up for his wife in the country. At the Station, he said he picked it up in the street.

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LATEST SHANGHAI QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts' Shanghai office cable the following quotations of rubber shares:—

Anglo Javans	\$9.50
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Consolidated	3.90
Kota Bahros	.68
Kroevocks	.68
Repahs	.68
Senawangs	.77
Tanah Merahs	2.04
Tebongs	.68

LONDON NAVAL TALKS

STATEMENT COMING ON FRIDAY

London, July 11.
In continuation of the Anglo-French bilateral naval conversations, experts attached to the British and French delegations were again in consultation to-day. Sir John Simon, Foreign Secretary, in the Commons, said he proposed to make a statement on the subject of this week's conversations between himself and the French foreign Minister in London during the course of the foreign affairs debate in the Commons on Friday.—British Wireless.

POST OFFICE NOTICE

INWARD MAILS.

Saigon and Air Mail ex Marseille.		Date and Time.	
		Thursday.	
Shanghai and Amoy	Chung On	Thurs., July 12, 4 p.m.	
Japan	Chung On	Thurs., July 12, 4 p.m.	
Straits	Chung On	Thurs., July 12, 4 p.m.	
Manila	Chung On	Thurs., July 12, 4 p.m.	
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London 21st June)	Rajputana	July 13.	
Shanghai and Swatow	Suiyang	July 13.	
Straits and Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service.	Burdwan	July 14.	
Japan	Merloka Maru	July 14.	
Shanghai	Chenonegux	July 15.	
Straits	Gango	July 15.	
Straits	Lyons Maru	July 15.	
Straits	Troilus	July 15.	
Shanghai	Felix Roussel	July 15.	
Shanghai	Deucalion	July 15.	
Straits	Helorus	July 15.	

TREMENDOUS LOSS OF LIFE IN JAPANESE RAINSTORM

SCHOOLBOY'S STORY OF A CAR THOUGHT HE HAD BOUGHT IT

REMAINED IN POLICE CUSTODY

The plea that he thought he was the owner of the car, as he had paid \$250 as part payment to a man named Ip, was put forward by Henry Wong, a student, when he appeared before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, for having driven car No. 293 without a driver's licence, and having driven it without the permission of the owner, Mr. M. T. Fung.

An Indian motor-car driver, Yakob Khan, who was jointly charged with having driven the same car without the permission of the owner, was discharged, the case against him being withdrawn after evidence.

Traffic Inspector Nicol stated that the complainant left the car in Statue Square on Monday morning. At different times he went there for the car, but could not find it. He then made a report. As soon as the report was circulated, a message was received from the Shaukiwan Police Station, saying that the car had been involved in an accident. The Indian had been to the station to make a report. He was a licensed driver. He told the police that he drove the car from Statue Square along Des Voeux Road to No. 7 Police Station, and Wong drove it from there right round the island to where the accident occurred. They were both in company when the car was removed. Wong was alleged to have asked the Indian to drive round the island for \$10. Wong left the Indian to report the accident.

NO PERMISSION.

In evidence, Mr. M. T. Fung stated he had not given permission to anybody to drive the car. He did not know Wong, nor the Indian. When he got the car back later, the steering wheel was damaged, the bill for the damage amounting to \$173. He did not know a man by the name of Ip. He had not authorised anybody to sell the car.

Yakob Khan said he was a licensed motor driver. About 9 a.m. on Monday Wong had approached him, and said he would give him \$10 to drive the car for three hours. He agreed, and went with Wong, who pointed out two cars to him, saying they belonged to him. They took the Austin car, No. 293, and Wong asked him to drive to his office and then to his house in Queen's Road. They then drove back to Chater Road, where Wong said he had some business at Aberdeen, and requested him to take him there. He drove as far as the No. 7 Police Station, and at the guard's house, Wong asked him to change places, and allow him to drive. He did not ask Wong whether he had a licence, because he thought he was the owner.

CAR TURNS OVER.

When they reached Aberdeen, continued witness, Wong said he wanted to go round the island, and continued driving. On reaching Lyceum, the car suddenly turned over. They were not hurt. Wong asked him to report the accident at the station. After going about with Wong for the rest of the afternoon, he left him at 5.30 p.m. Wong never paid him the \$10. The accident occurred about 12 noon.

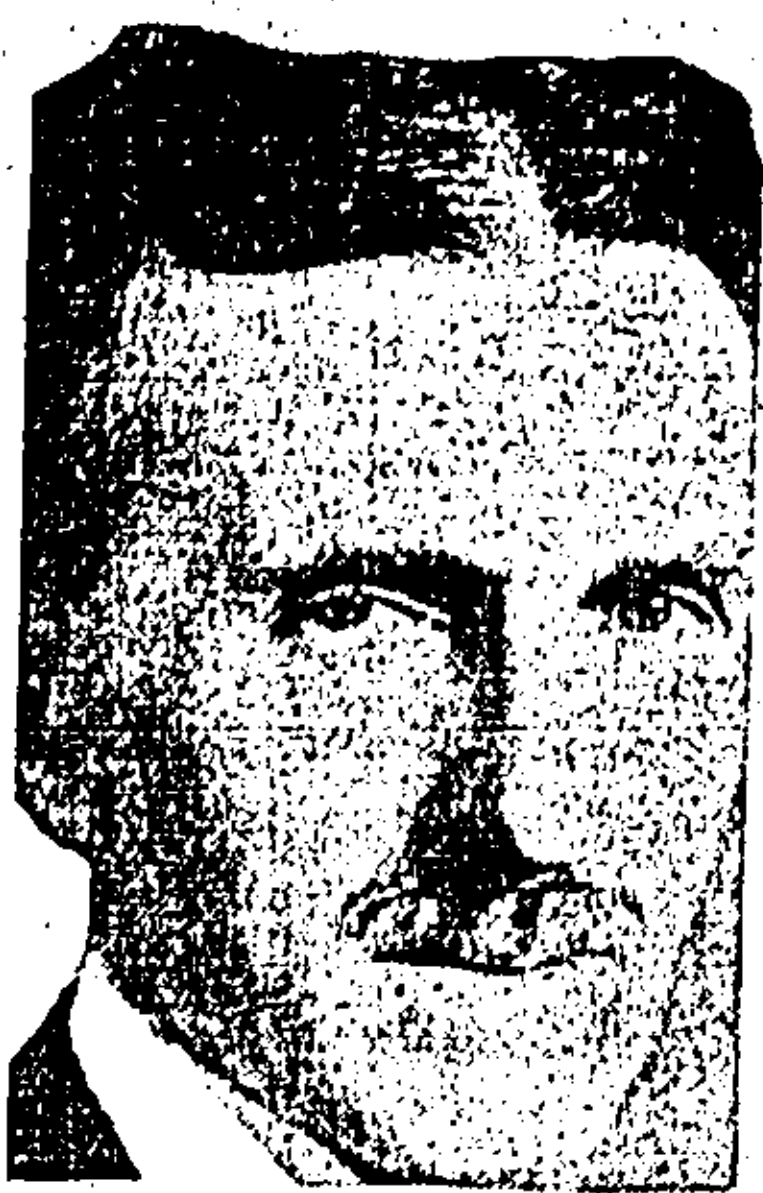
Replying to Wong, witness denied he was driving at the time of the accident.

Mr. W. A. Shen, who was driving back to Hongkong from Shouson Hill via Deepwater Bay, said he overtook No. 293, an Austin tourer. His attention was drawn to it, because it was being badly driven. He recognised Wong driving it. He knew Wong by sight.

In the witness box, Wong stated that a man named Ip, who was a car driver, had told him on Saturday he had an Austin car for sale. Ip brought the car to Wan-chai to him, and asked \$400 for it. The number of the car was 293. He paid Ip \$250 on account, and Ip said he would give him a receipt when the balance was paid. Ip also told him he would find the car in Statue Square on Monday, and asked him to go and take it.

TESTING THE CAR.

He went there on Monday, but as he did not know how to drive, he intended engaging a chauffeur. He asked Khan to test the car for him. Khan asked him \$10 to drive the car for him. Khan drove the car as far as Aberdeen, when he



Nikola Tesla, noted electrician who announced yesterday that he is perfecting a death beam capable of wholesale destruction of armies, fleets and aeroplanes. He says he will present his invention to all nations, thus ensuring world peace.

SVEN HEDIN CAPTURE

FOUR FOREIGNERS IN THE PARTY

Peking, July 12. Four other well known foreigners are members of the party led by Sven Hedin, the noted Swedish explorer, which has fallen into the hands of bandits in Sinkiang.

Altogether nine captives were taken by the gang, including Sven Hedin, his four foreign colleagues and four Chinese assistants.

They were captured in the Dungan region of Sinkiang, not far from the place where Sven Hedin had a somewhat similar experience some months ago. News of the affair was received by Mr. Rosenkranz, a former member of the Expedition, in a telegram received from Anshu dated July 4.

MOSLEM SUPPORTERS. The captors are believed to be supporters of the Moslem leader, Chung Ying, and it is understood that the party has been taken to Aksu.

Mr. Harold Kikegaard, the Postal Commissioner in Peking, and Dr. Parker Chen, the noted zoologist, are among the victims. No particulars have been received by the Danish Minister or the British Legation.—*Reuter*.

U.S. MARINES IN HAITI

TO BE WITHDRAWN IN A MONTH

Washington, July 11. In accordance with President Roosevelt's executive order, the evacuation of U.S. Marines from Haiti will commence shortly.

Rear-Admiral Standley has ordered sufficient vessels to proceed to Haiti to provide transport for forty-seven officers and 517 men by August 15.—*Reuter*.

begin driving it. After he had tested it for a short time, he gave the driving wheel over to Khan to drive. Near Shaukiwan the car suddenly skidded and smashed. He thought the car was his own. He went with Khan to the station to report the accident.

Replying to Mr. Hamilton, witness said he was a schoolboy. A man named R. C. Mitchell gave him the money to buy the car. He wanted to engage a driver. Mitchell sent him \$85 every month from Shanghai. The \$250 represented the money he had thus saved up. He could not find the man named Ip. He formerly went to Queen's College, and had left over a month ago to start business. He wanted to go to Shanghai to get money to start business. He had a father and a mother.

CASE REMANDED. Mr. Hamilton adjourned the case until 11 a.m. on Saturday, remanding Wong in police custody. His father and mother would be called, and he would be given a chance to look for Ip.

In discharging Khan, Mr. Hamilton remarked that it was quite obvious that he was teaching Wong to drive without a learner's licence. Fortunately he was not charged with that. The case against him was withdrawn, as the evidence did not substantiate it. He hoped, however, the Inspector General of Police would have a few words to say to him.

WIDE AREA STRUCK

SCORES OF HOUSES WASHED AWAY

WORST FOR 37 YEARS

Tokyo, July 12. Tremendous loss of life and property has resulted from a virtual cloudburst in Central Japan.

Reports from Ishikawa Prefecture on the north coast of Central Japan, declare that as a result of the heaviest rainstorm for thirty-seven years tremendous destruction has taken place.

The Tokyo *Asahi* declares that two hundred and fifty have been drowned and that there are at least four thousand flood sufferers, three hundred houses having been destroyed, and thirty bridges swept away by a great wall of water that swept down the hillsides.

WORKERS MISSING.

Four thousand houses and thousands of acres of crops are reported by the *Asahi* to have been inundated.

Official reports minimise the damage but state that one hundred and sixty embankment workers on the Tetsu River are missing.—*Reuter*.

SHANGHAI GRILLING.

Shanghai, July 12. The mercury climbed to 102.4 degrees last evening. The relentless weather is carrying with it a higher rate of sunstroke and prostration cases daily.

All local hospitals are taxed to full capacity with patients suffering from heatstroke.

It is estimated that the total number of patients admitted to various hospitals for treatment since Monday, reached over 1,400. Five deaths were reported yesterday.—*Central News*.

Hanchow (Kiangsu), July 12. The temperature locally has reached well above 100 degrees in the shade with the result that twenty-two coolies have died of sunstroke. Bubonic plague has broken out in the working class district.—*Central News*.

CROPS RUINED.

Hanchow, July 12. The temperature here yesterday

SCANDAL CRISIS IN NANKING

TALK OF WANG CHING WEI RESIGNATION

Nanking, July 12.

It is widely rumoured that Mr. Wang Ching-wei, President of the Executive Yuan, signified his intention to resign at yesterday's meeting of the General Political Council.

The rumour is based upon a report that Mr. Wang Ching-wei urged the collective responsibility of the Executive Yuan for the scandal arising from alleged irregularities in a contract by the Ministry of Railways.

Report has it that a prominent official of the Ministry has been impeached by the Control Yuan.—*Central News*.

MORE DOG BITES

TWO FURTHER CASES REPORTED

Two further cases of people being attacked by dogs have come to the notice of the police.

In one case, Leung So, a woman living at 29, Whitfield, was bitten in the right arm by her yellow chow whilst she was ascending the staircase. She received treatment at the Government Civil Hospital, the animal being removed to the Kennedy Town depot for observation.

In the other case, Lai Moon, a man living at Yaumati, was bitten by a dog, which was subsequently captured and removed to Mataukok depot for observation. The victim is receiving treatment at the Kowloon Hospital.

rose to 108 degrees in the shade and the persistence of drought is causing great concern. At least two-thirds of the crops in Chekiang are withering, except those where lake water is being used for irrigation.—*Central News*.

Tsinanfu, July 11. The mercury here rose to 112 degrees today. Serious cotton crop failures threaten if rain does not fall in the near future. Extensive crop failures are reported from Shantung and Honan where the long drought spell coupled with an unusual heatwave paralysed conditions elsewhere.—*Central News*.

Tsinanfu, July 12. The mercury climbed to 110 degrees in the shade here, heat unprecedented for scores of years.—*Central News*.

BONHAM STRAND PROPERTY

AN APPEAL TO BE LODGED

LEAVE GRANTED

Leave to appeal from the finding of the Supreme Court was granted by the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor, and Mr. P. Jacks, Puisne Judge, sitting as a Full Court this morning, to Li Tse-shih, widow, of 71, Shantung Road, Mongkoktau.

A decision has been given against the appellant in respect of property valued at \$76,000 at present held by the respondent, Pong Tsoi-ching, of Shatin, New Territories.

Appellant was the administratrix of the will annexed of the late Li Woon-nam and the property concerned was formerly included in his estate.

Mr. Leo D'Almada, jr., instructed by Mr. M. K. Lo of Lo & Lo, appeared for appellant and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., instructed by Mr. E. Davidson, of Messrs. Hastings & Co., represented respondent.

MATTER OF TIME.

In making the application, Mr. D'Almada said the court was merely concerned with the amount of the security to be deposited by appellants, the time given to raise the security, and the time allowed for the preparation of the records.

The usual time allowed was three months to raise the security and six months to prepare the records. Mr. Jenkin said the case had been going on for two and a half years and his client still did not know whether or not he owned the property for which he had paid \$76,000. In order to expedite matters he asked that the time allowed to raise the deposit be one month and the time for the preparation of the documents be three months.

The court allowed leave to appeal conditional on a deposit of \$5,000 within one month and the preparation of the records in three months.

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Manila Gold Mining	0.32	0.31	0.32	1000	
Henguet Consolidated	25.00	24.00	25.00	2000	
Gold River	0.17	0.16	0.17	10000	
Ipco Gold Mines	2.30	2.10	2.20	1000	
Hosken Mining Co.	3.70	3.50	3.70	5000	
Salacog Mining Co.	0.13	0.11	0.12	2000	
Suzco Consolidated	0.40	0.37	—	—	
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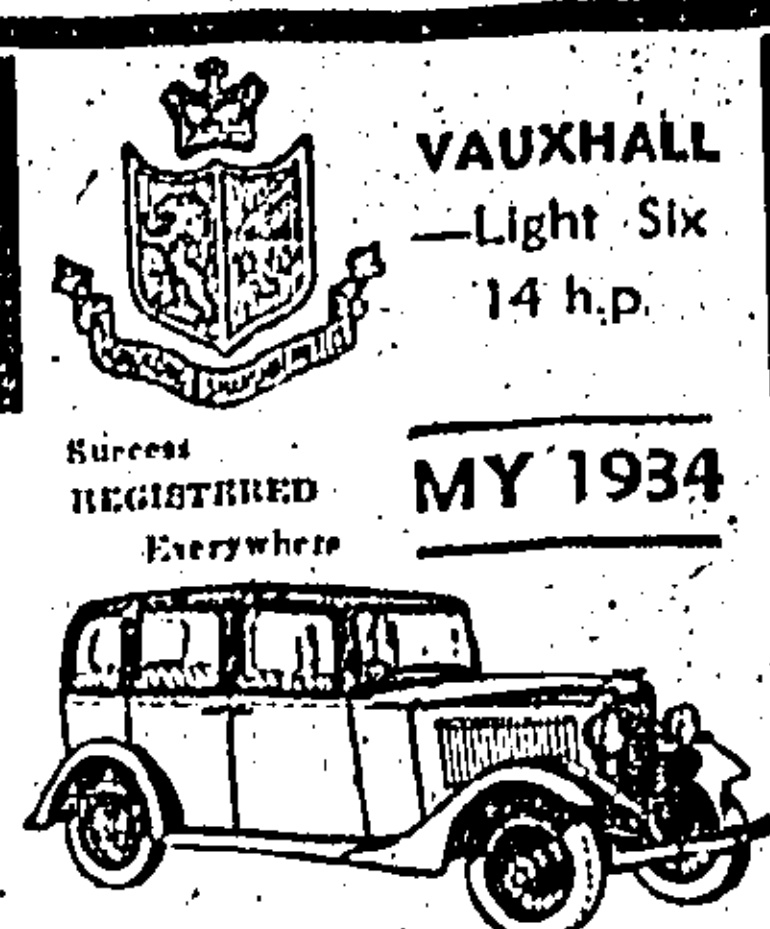
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**The
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THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1934.

HOPE FOR EUROPE

If, as seems indicated, M. Barthou's visit to London has resulted in France revising her policy in regard to the rearmament of Germany, the prospects of placing the European situation on a better and more stable basis, leading to eventual agreement on disarmament, will have been immeasurably increased. French opposition to the German demand for equality of treatment in respect of arms has hitherto been the main stumbling block in the way of a general European settlement. Following M. Barthou's visit to Brussels in April, the French Government appeared inclined to agree to a moderate and regulated increase in German defensive armaments, on condition that Britain and Italy gave special guarantees in return and France was not called upon to make any reduction in material or personnel. Not many weeks later, however, there was a reversion to the original French standpoint of making no concessions whatever to Germany. The change was attributed to opposition in high quarters in Paris to the Barthou policy. Be that as it may, Britain has in the meantime made it abundantly clear that she is not disposed to enter into any further security commitments. The position thus appeared to be deadlocked. A welcome change has now come over the situation by the reported willingness of France to recognise the justice of the German demand. It is to be noted, however, that the French concession is made conditional on Germany joining the suggested Seven-Power Eastern European Pact of Mutual Assistance. The next move therefore lies with Berlin. So far as can be seen, there should be no reason to fear German rejection of the proposal. Germany's leading statesmen have again and again repudiated any intention of aggression in Europe and have declared a willingness to enter into the most far-reaching pacts of non-aggression with neighbouring countries. It is true that the suggested Mutual Assistance Pact goes a step further than a mere declaration of no aggressive intent, but inasmuch as Germany is already a signatory to the Western Locarno agreements, there seems no logical reason why she should hesitate to enter into the suggested understanding affecting Eastern Europe. It has long since been realised by most countries that any attempt to keep Germany in

NOTES OF THE DAY

HU HAN-MIN AND NANKING

Is Mr. Hu Han-min to be invited to occupy the post of President of the Chinese Republic? The question crops up almost automatically following the visits of General Ho Chien and General Wang Shao-hung to Hongkong, and the promised call of Mr. Sun Fo—taken in conjunction with the important revisions in the proposed new Constitution, which now invests the President with very wide powers. The Constitutional programme as amended is one that should appeal to the heart of Mr. Hu Han-min, whether or not he is offered the Presidency. It insists upon civilian control of every branch of government; it is of a nature that will best satisfy the objective of securing more than moral lip service to the central administration. Always an opponent of military dictatorship, Mr. Hu Han-min must find it difficult to point out any surface objections to the revised Constitution. It cannot, however, succeed of its own excellence in draughtsmanship. It needs the unreserved backing of such elder statesmen as Mr. Hu Han-min to ensure that it becomes a live and genuine and not a mere paper Constitution.

R.A.F. EXPANSION

Despite the *Daily Mail*, which is so anxious to loosen Britain's purse-strings for new R.A.F. expansion, the programme is certain to be slow in development, even assuming that ultimately it will be completed. Experts estimate that the cost of 600 new machines, together with ground equipment and staff, will cost over £35,000,000. Few people in Britain will toss their caps in the air in unison with the *Daily Mail* group, if a supplementary budget of even a quarter of this amount is introduced. The none-too-popular Cabinet now in power would not have the iron to press it. Our guess is that the scheme will be spread out over six or seven years, with the hope always in mind that the threat of a race for military air supremacy will cause competing nations to think again and agree to limitation that will enable the full scope of the British expansionist projects to be shelved.

DR. GOEBBELS' ATTACK

The Nazi Minister for Propaganda complains fiercely of the manner in which the events of June 30 were reported in the foreign press. According to Dr. Goebbels, the whole situation was misrepresented and grossly exaggerated, although he admits, by implication, that the campaign of "lies and malice" was pursued without collaboration between foreign journalists. They all seem to have gained information of the same false nature acting independently, which must seem passing strange to the impartial observer. Doubtless, a good many inaccurate details did appear and doubtless some of the interpretations were not favourable to the Hitler regime. That was only to be expected in an atmosphere alive with the wildest rumours, where there was little official aid in sifting the false from the true. Not even the leaders know at the time exactly what was happening everywhere. Only afterwards was it possible to secure all the material facts and assess them objectively. When sensational events are occurring, it is not surprising to find the so-called popular press making a sensation out of them. But the habit will not be cured by threatening to expel offending correspondents.

NAZI NEWSPAPERS

Dr. Goebbels may have a certain justification on his side, but he must give the credit for publishing only what they believed to be true. There is more in newspaper work than control and censorship as the Reichminister discovered recently when he scoured the Nazi newspapers for their uniformity and lack of originality. He forgot that many newspaper editors in Germany have paid the penalty for originality. He forgot, too, the peculiar difficulties which the press in Germany experiences, until he received a letter from a small East Prussian paper. "In our town," it read, "the local Nazi leader delivers speeches three times a week. Each time he insists that we print his address in full, with his photograph. If we have done that 60 times now. If it continues the paper will go out of business and we out of our mind." This much should be added, Dr. Goebbels took steps to relieve the editor's anguish.

A continuing state of inferiority must tend to aggravate the European situation rather than otherwise. With France now also apparently disposed to take that view, a great opportunity presents itself for a complete and lasting Franco-German reconciliation. If it is not now grasped, the chance may never recur again.

GOOD TEMPER

By ROBERT LYND

We seem to be suffering just now in most parts of the world from a drought of good temper. The gentle rain of good humour has ceased to fall at the usual rate; and we are faced with the possibility of a shortage that, if it continues, may become dangerous.

There is, I imagine, less good temper at present in the home politics of European countries than there has been for a long time. Never has the principle of "Live and Let Live" been more contemptuously thrown on the rubbish-heap. One would almost imagine from the speeches of some of the newer politicians that good temper is a crime.

It is to be hoped that the idealisation of bad temper will not spread to England. England has in the past prided herself on being the home of good humour; and it long procession of her writers, from Chaucer to Dickens, seems to justify her boast. It is true that the Englishman has taken that somewhat irascible-looking gentleman-farmer, John Bull, as his representative national figure. But that, I am sure, was, like the British lion, only to frighten foreigners. When a retired Indian colonel began to look as irascible as John Bull in home circles this was put down, not to his English blood, but to the Indian climate, curries and whisky.

Foreigners visiting England have often been struck by the good humour of people, even when an orgy of tongue-lashing was going on. They have noted as something peculiarly English the laughter that round the orators at the Marble Arch. Here it was possible—at least until recently—to utter almost any conceivable opinion with no more danger from the crowd than vigorous heckling.

It would be going too far to suggest that all Englishmen at all times have behaved like the usual crowds at the Marble Arch. There have been plenty of "scenes" at political meetings to break the monotony. Blows have been struck and collars have been torn from their studs even in the House of Commons.

At the same time, the day after a disturbance in the House of Commons the members used to go about with a hangdog expression, feeling that they had disgraced themselves by behaving more like excited foreigners than like strong, silent Englishmen. As a rule they attributed the whole thing to the Irish members, who had no reverence for the traditions of the Mother of Parliaments. And the newspapers, with one voice, cried: "Disgraceful!"

A wave of bad temper swept into politics in the years before the war—possibly an early warning of the tide of violence that was to drench Europe in blood for four years.

Even during the horrors and hatreds of war, however, the ordinary Englishman held on as hard as in the circumstances it was possible to do to the national tradition of good temper. He liked Ole Bill. He sang "Pack up your troubles in your old kitbag and smile, smile, smile." He sang the "Hymn of Hate" as a comic song.

It would be a disaster to civilisation, it seems to me, if this good-humoured type were to disappear. One of the finest contributions that England has made to the happiness of mankind is the

humour and sentiment of Dickens, both as kindly as the sunlight on the walls of an English village; and it is largely because of the prodigious kindness of his books that Dickens became the most popular English novelist who ever lived. Every reader envied the much-tried charity of Mr. Pickwick, the imperturbable good-humour of Sam Weller, serene even when he hated most.

I do not suggest, of course, that the entire political life of England could be carried on in the spirit of Sam Weller. There are occasions, again, on which it would be asking too much of human nature to expect everybody to sit down under misery, with the inflexible rosy optimism of Mark Tapley. Nor did Dickens himself wish human beings to remain permanently good-humoured. He knew, as we see from his books, when it was well to be angry. But he believed that good humour was the normal mood of a rational human being. He would have caricatured any politician who seemed to believe that it was a rightly normal thing for human beings to be in a bad temper.

Most of us have tempers, but we do our best to control them or, at least, believe that we ought to do our best to control them. Today, however, in various political movements, bad temper is apparently widely regarded as a test of sincerity. Good temper seems to be looked on as a mark of weakness and a shilly-shally natural. Extremists on both sides shout hymns of hate at each other, not comically, but seriously. They not only believe what they say, but believe that it would be a sin to say it without a scowl.

There is, so far as I can discover, no warrant in history for the theory that bad temper and sincerely go together. Socrates was infinitely more good-natured than his accusers, and, fundamentally, he was infinitely more serious and sincere. In our own time Mr. Shaw has carried on his propaganda all the more effectively because he combines sincerely with a good nature that is the despair of those who disagree with him (of whom I am frequently one).

Good temper achieves more than bad temper—except, perhaps, in getting windows opened on railway trains. Other things being equal—strength of character, courage and so forth—the good-natured man will nearly always beat the bad tempered man, since he has necessarily greater patience.

It seems reasonable, then, to hope that the present idealisation of bad temper as a political principle is only temporary. Life would not be worth living without good nature as its normal atmosphere. An occasional thunderstorm of temper may clear the air, but we can have too much thunderstorm.

So strongly am I convinced of the necessity for good temper in politics that, much as I dislike Communism and Fascism, I sometimes think I would rather be ruled by good-tempered Fascists than by bad-tempered democrats.

So far as I can see, however, democracy is the only political theory which looks on good temper as the essential basis of political and social life. It is because I believe this that I greatly prefer it to any of the modern substitutes for it.

The Very Idea!

TRAMMING THE PEAK

By George
FROM A PEAKITE.

ALTHOUGH its scarcely
A fitting

As a dweller on the Peak,
That I should put my mit
in.

Where the Public has its
beak,

I feel it is my duty
To suspend being snooty

During this Centenary
week.

I think the trams old-
fashioned

Be Glad and I'm convinced,
That it's cars we have the
pash on,

Though the dollar's on the
winch;

And when free passage we
can't steal,

We can always use free wheel
And we'd walk up for two
pins!

Dear George, As an old Peakite of longstanding (I removed to the Peak when Kowloon Tong went white) I am determined to get to the root of the Tramway question and demand to know what steps are being taken to provide for an extension of the service to Queen's Road.

Remembering that all men are larks I am prepared to look at the matter impartially and have several suggestions to make quite apart from the plans of you and your contemporary.

I think for instance that now is the time for the company to give the Colony a lead in becoming air-minded and that they might do this by running a gliding service from the Lower Station to Queen's Road, the take off to be from the Helena May roof.

This might prove a costly business but if the original designers had had any acumen they would have allowed for the heat to expand the rails to Queen's Road during the summer and to draw them in to the Lower Station in the winter when the Peak confines itself to pingpong and at home "At Homes."

Yours Alrily,
J. Pinwheel.

WITHOUT MUSIC

"I think that I shall never see
A poem lovely as a tree."
So sings a famous composer, yet
His name I cannot recollect.
At times I also think of things
As sloppy as this poet sings:
But never tried, so much the
worse.
To turn them to immortal verse.
For instance, when the sun's
abaze
And in the heat I lie and laze,
I think that I shall never hear
A sight so sweet as pots of beer.
I know that I shall never sniff
Such melody as cold roast beef.
I think that I shall never eat
A picture like Threadneedle
Street.

I'm certain I shall never feel
Such scenery as I am and zeal.
I have a hunch I'll never know
A home like Edgar Allan Poe.
In fact I think a lot of things
As soft as those the poet sings:
And should these lines leave any
doubt
Regarding what they're all about,
The reason let me thus explain:
I've just been walking in the
rain.

And talking of love, which we
were doing a few minutes ago,
when the Sing Suet folk were
parked on the back doorstep, talk-
ing of love, I saw a sad tragedy
the other morning.

To begin at the beginning, some
five months ago my friend Oscar
decided to go to bed for the winter.
So he crawled under a thick hedge,
scooped out a hole, tumbled into it,
and covered himself over with
leaves like a Babe in the Wood.
And there, through all November
and December, Jan. and Feb. he
slept and slept and slept.

Guy Fawkes Day didn't interest
him; Christmas left him stone
cold; the glad New Year thrilled
him not. He merely snored and
snored, snug as a bug in his dug-
out.

But last Thursday morning he
stirred, sat up, rubbed his eyes,
and said "Wassser time!" I told
him it was July something where-
upon Oscar crept slowly out of bed
and stretched himself.

Perhaps I ought to mention that
Oscar is a Hedgehog and that there
is no such animal here.



"Nothing" but conferences and directors' meetings. I used to
have more time to myself."

ORGANISED ATTACK ON RABIES PROBLEM

PARISH PUMP PROPOSALS

NEGLECTED OBVIOUS MEASURES

CONTROL AREAS

Sir,—I have answered Mr. Popp's humorous references to my letters privately—I have never claimed to be a lawyer but feel sure my views on the law are correct. But even if the Regulations of which I complained are good in law, they seem to be a gross abuse of executive power as a large body of law-abiding citizens are automatically made law-breakers.

However, the rabies question is nearly as important as whether Government is law-abiding or not. Many people say Government is too active—others complain Government is not sufficiently active. In part, I agree with both. Much that Government has done is stupid, futile and irritating; on the other hand, Government has apparently neglected the obvious, but stringent measures which this situation calls for if it is as serious as is alleged.

SOME FACTS.

- May I set out a few facts?
- (1) Rabies is an appalling disease which ought to be stamped out if possible.
 - (2) The importation of rabid dogs cannot be wholly prevented—we have a land border and sea border swarming with junks, mostly carrying dogs.
 - (3) The present system of admitting dogs without quarantine on the authority of the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon is useless, as it gives a sense of false security.
 - (4) Every dog owner (I am one) thinks his dog is above suspicion.
 - (5) Many people (Government servants are not alone in this) think they are above the law, but rabies is no respecter of persons and the dogs of Government servants and their friends are just as liable to get the disease as mine.
 - (6) Permits given by the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon to move dogs, sporting or otherwise, do not give immunity, and such dogs are just as liable to carry the disease as dogs moved without permits.

EXEMPTION PERMITS.

- (7) The Public will not co-operate in enforcing laws from which they think the Authorities and their friends can obtain exemptions either by permit or a knowledge that the police will not prosecute.
- (8) Rabies is only conveyed through the saliva of an infected dog and therefore restriction of movements of all dogs within limited areas is essential immediately any area is known to be infected.
- (9) The more stringent the measures taken against infected areas, the more eager will be the public in clean areas to stop importation into those areas.
- (10) In England, non-movement areas are declared from time to time as regards various diseases. These areas are sometimes as small as parishes, sometimes as large as several counties. (I am not sure of the details and am only writing from memory).
- (11) Inoculation is probably effective and if universal would stamp out the disease for the time being.

INOCULATION FEES.

- (12) Government, instead of encouraging inoculation, allows public servants to charge substantial fees.
- I recently had seven dogs inoculated in my house. If the charge had been \$10.00 each, which I believe is charged by the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon, it would have cost \$70.00. The operation took about an hour.
- (13) Rumour has it that Government contemplates wholesale slaughter of dogs.

SUGGESTED MEASURES.

- I admitted before and repeat that I know nothing of preventive medicine, and am not qualified in any way to handle the situation, but I venture to say that the following scheme is more hopeful than the present system. I urge Government to consider it, instruct the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon to consult with the Law Officers, with power to co-opt specialists and scientists, and to report publicly on its practicability or to devise a better one. I suggest seven days is ample time for such a report.
- (a) Divide the Colony into small and convenient geographical areas.
 - (b) Take power to prevent the movement of all dogs from any



The Hon. Sir Thomas Southorn, K.B.E., C.M.G., opened the Children's Playground at Wanchai yesterday. He is here seen addressing those present. (Photo: A. Fong.)

THREATS OF EVICTION

LATEST CHAPOO DEVELOPMENT

CHEKIANG TAX DEMAND

Shanghai, July 12.
A circular letter has been sent to landowners in Chapoo by the Chekiang provincial authorities, announcing that unless a forty per cent. tax on the assessed valuation of their property is paid by July 15, the owners will forfeit all rights and the property will revert to the Government.

French Mission property is affected by the demand and a serious situation threatens. The foreign owners, it is believed, have declined to pay on the ground that the tax is illegal. The construction of fortifications in the area is the excuse given for the demand by the authorities, who are continuing to dig trenches across the property of owners who have not paid the tax up to date.

It is rumoured that the Chekiang authorities intend to make use of military force to carry out the evacuation order after July 15 in cases where the refusal to pay is persisted in, but this cannot be confirmed.—*Reuter*.

UPWARD RUSH IN WHEAT PRICE

POOR CROP OUTLOOK IN U.S.A.

Winnipeg, July 11.
Official reports from the United States concerning the wheat crop, showing the smallest prospective yield for thirty years, caused an upward rush of prices, which closed 6½ cents a bushel higher.—*Reuter*.

New York, July 11.
As a result of the U.S. Department of Agriculture Bureau Report, which showed the smallest wheat crop in 33 years, wheat prices rose the full 5 cent limit in frantic trading at the opening on the Chicago Board of Trade. On the accumulation of large buying orders at the market, operations ceased owing to the trading limit having been reached.—*Scam, Culbertson and Fritz*.

area declared infected.

- (c) Take power to destroy any dog illegally moved.
- (d) Register all dogs and apply distinctive labels, according to districts.
- (e) Encourage inoculation and make it compulsory within a limited period.
- (f) Train a number of "doggy" men (I know of no better term) to inoculate. Surely some public vaccinators might be secured.
- (g) Secure the assistance of the S.P.C.A., who have two inspectors available.

FREE INOCULATION.

3. Inoculate free of charge; if necessary, increasing the licence fee. If this cannot be done, I have no doubt the S.P.C.A. would raise a special fund for this purpose.
- (f) Make it an offence for a female with access to be abroad. Give the police power to deal with such animals.
- (g) Tighten up the law generally in infected areas.
- (h) Remove restrictions immediately relaxation is possible, as restrictions which are not enforced bring the whole Government into contempt, and make the task of Government and the Police truly difficult in times of emergency.

GERMANY SUSPICIOUS

POLICY OF ENCIRCLING THE REICH?

SIMON-BARTHOUS AGREEMENT

Berlin, July 11.
Germany views the results of the Simon-Barthous conversations with acute disfavour, criticism being based upon the unofficial reports of the substance of the verbal understanding reached.

France now has a perfectly free hand in her policy of encircling Germany, with British support, bitterly remarks the *Berliner Tageblatt*, voicing the general uneasiness as a result of M. Barthous's visit to London.

A semi-official German diplomatic correspondent says that the Locarnism of Europe enhances the international importance of the Soviet Red Army, and concludes that France has achieved her aim of strengthening her preponderance in Europe and abolishing disarmament, with the intention of frustrating the restoration of Germany's equality.—*Reuter*.

Choi Huk-tok, a shopkeeper at Wanchai, who was admitted to hospital yesterday with a cut wound over the right eye, alleged that he was assaulted by a British sailor in Lockhart Road.

CONSULATE SHORTAGE

THREE CLOSED DOWN IN CHINA

COMPLAINTS BY TRADERS

London, July 11.
A complaint in the House of Commons at question-time today, suggesting that the closing down of British Consulates in China, due to a shortage of officials, was causing inconvenience to British traders, led to a reply that the Consulates will soon be re-opened.

Sir John Simon stated that there was a temporary shortage of competent officials owing to death, illness and resignation.

This situation had involved the closing of the Consulates at Newchwang on April 17, at Ichang on April 30, and Tsinanfu on May 4.

The Foreign Minister declared that, according to his latest information, there was reason to anticipate that the Consulate at Tsinanfu would be re-opened at an early date, that at Ichang in the Autumn, and that at Newchwang not later than next Spring.

Meanwhile, Consular facilities in the districts affected were being supplied by neighbouring Consular posts.—*Reuter*.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

AS YELLOW GOLD IS TRIED IN FIRE, SO THE FAITH OF FRIENDSHIP MUST BE SEEN IN ADVERSITY.—*Ovid*.

Wong Yuk, aged 30, was sent to prison for one month by Mr. Justice for this morning for stealing clothing from No. 19 Square Street.

Attacked by a number of other men outside the Shamshui Market, Lai To-lai collapsed after getting away from his assailants in Pukhoi Street. He was conveyed to the Kowloon Hospital.

Cheung Mook-pak, a boarding house runner, whose death occurred at the Government Civil Hospital yesterday, is believed to have committed suicide by taking a large dose of opium. He was found in an unconscious state on a floor at 412, Des Voeux Road West.

Before Mr. Hamilton this morning, Yip Kwong pleaded guilty to stealing two jackets, a pair of trousers and 10 cents from No. 129 Gloucester Road, ground floor, stealing a suit of clothing from No. 124 Gloucester Road, and returning from banishment. One year's hard labour in all was imposed. Defendant was banished for ten years in 1932.

Preventive officers under R. O. Humphreys raided a junk in the Typhoon shelter last night, when they arrested three women, who comprised the crew, and seized a large quantity of Chinese opium cleverly concealed in a false bulk-head. One of the women, who claimed full responsibility, was fined a total of \$5,750, or nine months' hard labour in default, when she appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Court this morning. The junk, of 97 tons capacity, was confiscated.

Wong Kan-po, a licensed motor driver, was charged by Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on a charge of theft of three silver dollars from Chun Shui-ying, a prostitute, at No. 4 Delecher Street, ground floor. Complainant stated that while she was away in the kitchen the house at the same time she went to the kitchen. In the witness box, defendant denied that he had taken the money. The \$3 which were found on him when he was searched was part of the money he had collected from his customers.

Two cases of typhoid were reported to the local health authorities on Tuesday.

Bento-Ornella, a 19-year-old Filipino, was remanded at the Kowloon Court this morning on a charge of stealing away from the Empress of Russia from Manila.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Society for the Protection of Children desires to acknowledge with grateful thanks a donation of \$5 from Mr. P. L. Collinson, in memory of the late Mr. J. M. Walker.

Among the passengers sailing for England on the Blue Funnel liner *Porsosa*, yesterday, was Mr. R. H. Stone, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Stone. Mr. Stone is going home to sit for the Chartered Accountants' Examinations.

For posing as policemen and attempting to extort a bribe from a hawker at the No. 4 Railway Bridge, two men, Au Cheung-kit and Lai Hung, were sent to prison by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Court this morning. The first named received five months, and his companion two months.

The King's Birthday Honours List includes the name of Mr. Lambert P. de Souza, formerly Deputy Collector of Land Revenue and now Chairman of the Rural Board in Singapore, who has been awarded the Certificate of Honour, in recognition of long and meritorious service with the Straits Settlements Government. The recipient is a brother of Dr. Eugene L. de Souza, of Hongkong, and father of Dr. Granville de Souza, former graduate of Hongkong University, who is now in London studying medicine.

There was a large and appreciative audience at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. Auditorium last night, when a concert was given by artists from the north, all of whom are connected with the National Conservatory of Music, Shanghai. The programme was well-varied, members of the group participating included Messrs. Benjamin Z. N. Ing, baritone, a graduate of the School of Music of the University of Michigan and a teacher in the National Conservatory of Music in Shanghai; David C. L. Tai, violinist, head of the viola department of the National Conservatory of Music; S. T. Ting, pianist, head of the piano department of the National Conservatory of Music; and C. T. Mann, baritone, a pupil of Mr. Ing.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

RELAY OF HONGKONG HOTEL DANCE ORCHESTRA

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres:
6.30 p.m. European Programme.
6.45 p.m. A Relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel and Roof Garden.
7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations. London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.
7.05-7.33 p.m. A Recital by Stuart Robertson (Baritone) and Fritz Kreisler (Violin).
Song—When Lights go Rolling (Ireland).
Song—When Dull Care, (Lane Wilson).
Violin Solo—Polichinello (Kreisler).
Violin Solo—Dance of the Marionette (Winterhiltz).
Song—Sea Fever (Ireland).
Song—In Summerland on Breton (Fiedl).
Violin Solo—Humoresque (Dvorak-Kreisler).
Violin Solo—Caprice Viennois (Kreisler).
Fritz Kreisler.
7.33-8 p.m. Concert Waltzes.
Carmen Sylva (Ivanovitch).
Eva Waltzes (Lehar, arr. Schott).
International Novelty Orchestra.
Estudiantina (Waldteufel).
The Skaters (Waldteufel).
International Concert Orchestra.
Danube Waves (Ivanovitch).
Over the Waves (Rosas).
International Concert Orchestra.
8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.
9.30 p.m. London 1 p.m. Exchange and Commodity Quotations.
10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News. Further Exchange and Commodity Quotations from London followed by New York Opening Quotations.

10.40 p.m. Close Down.

All relays of the Hongkong Hotel Orchestras are by courtesy of the Management.

ZEK PROGRAMME.

8.30-10 p.m. European Recorded Programme from ZEK on 640 Kc/s (884 metres).
8.30-9.04 p.m. Concerto No. 2, in F Minor (Chopin) (Op. 21) for Piano and Orchestra.

Marguerite Long (Pianoforte) with Orchestra de la Societe du Conservatoire conducted by Philippe Gaubert.

1st Movement—Maestoso.
2nd Movement—Larghetto.
3rd Movement—Allegro Vivace.

9.04-9.30 p.m. Musical Comedy.
Vocal Gems—Follow a Star (Ellis).
Light Opera Company.

Selection—No. No Nanette (Youmans).
New Mayfair Orchestra.

Selection—Show of Shows.
New Mayfair Orchestra.
Vocal Gems—Whoopee (Kahn).
Vocal Gems—The New Moon (Hombert).

Light Opera Company.
9.30-9.47 p.m. Band Selection from Operas.

Tales of Hoffmann (Offenbach).
The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

Faust (Gounod).
The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

9.47-10 p.m. Vocal Items.
(a) Where the Bee Sucks (Shakespeare and Arne). (b) Come let us Join the Roundelay (W. Beale).
It was a Lover and His Lass (Morley).
The B.B.C. Wireless Singers, conducted by Stanford Robinson.

Wine, Women and Song—Strauss.
Vocal Waltz.
The B.B.C. Wireless Chorus and Orchestra conducted by Stanford Robinson.

10 p.m. Close Down.

KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY

PARLEY ON WORKING AGREEMENT

There opened at the Kowloon offices of the Kowloon-Canton Railway this morning a conference of delegates representing the Hongkong Government and the Chinese authorities for the purpose of revising the existing working agreement between the British and Chinese sections of the K.C.R. The chief matter to be dealt with is the distribution of the receipts from the Railway, the Chinese desiring a greater percentage than is provided for under the present agreement.

The Hongkong Government is represented by Mr. M. J. Bréon, Postmaster General; Mr. H. K. Hoines, Crown Solicitor; and Mr. R. D. Walker, manager of the British section of the Railway. The Chinese delegates are Mr. Chang Wol-tse, of the Ministry of Railways, Nanking; Mr. Li Shu-kan, of the Canton-Hankow Railway; and Mr. Hu Kai-yin, of the Chinese section of the Canton-Kowloon Railway.

The conference hopes to conclude its labours within two or three days.

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AUSTRALIAN CRICKETERS FREE OF DIPHTHERIA



A. Chipperfield.

THROAT SWABS PROVE NEGATIVE

KIPPAX & CHIPPERFIELD MAKE BIG IMPROVEMENT

EBELING'S BOWLING AGAINST DERBYSHIRE

London, July 11. It is revealed that the throat swabs taken of Alan Kippax and A. Chipperfield, the Australian Test cricketers, show a total absence of diphtheria. Both players are reported to be improving, and it is expected that they will be fully recovered within a few days.

An extraordinary epidemic of throat trouble broke out among the Australians at the start of the third Test at Manchester at the end of last week. In the course of the first day's play, Chipperfield, Woodfull and Bradman were all affected and had to leave the field. Kippax was found to be the chief sufferer, although Chipperfield also developed serious symptoms on Monday last.

Throat swabs of the whole team were finally taken, while Kippax was sent to hospital and was joined by Chipperfield at the close of the Test match.

The latest reassuring report will be welcomed by everybody.

EBELING'S GOOD BOWLING

Five For 28 Against Derbyshire

At the present time the Australians are playing Derbyshire at Chesterfield. The match opened to-day, when Derby won the toss and decided to bat.

It gave Ebeling an opportunity



Ebeling.

of showing his bowling skill, and it was one he quickly seized. So well did Ebeling bowl, that he took five wickets for 28 runs, and Derbyshire were all out for 145. Storer alone stood up to the keen Australian attack, and his 40 was more valuable than many a century.

The Australians indulged in some care-free batting, and at the close had scored 122 for four wickets.

Don Bradman was still batting with 49 to his credit.—*Reuter*.

ENGLISH & AUSTRALIAN CRICKET AVERAGES

AMES MAINTAINS HIS POSITION

Below will be found the leading English and Australian cricket averages, which are taken up to and inclusive of June 16.

BATTING.

	Inns.	not out.	Runs	High.	Aver.
Ames	16	4	1058	202	66.00
Rawlin of Lancashire	14	2	934	219	63.85
Mead	17	5	907	179	58.58
Dyball	19	1	1017	238	72.04
N. S. Mitchell	11	2	619	140	68.77
Baker	16	0	1054	248	65.87
Ashton	17	1	1022	232	63.87
Arnold	18	3	948	184	63.00
Clifford	20	2	1124	248	62.44
Parker (J.)	16	1	878	181	68.33
Lancashire (John)	17	3	812	232	58.00
Woolley	16	0	922	172	57.62
Todd	19	1	991	230	57.08
J. H. Hume	12	1	626	137	56.90
R. E. B. Wyatt	15	8	619	132	56.27
Gregory	19	1	1010	180	56.11
Leary	14	2	625	125	54.91
A. Mitchell	12	1	608	132	54.00
Edson	18	2	932	181	52.28
Hardstaff	14	2	616	145	51.38
C. F. Walters	14	1	770	176	51.38
Hendren	21	0	1065	135	50.71

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Aver.
Verity	469.3	224	714	48	14.77
Ellis	393.2	181	818	52	15.41
Larwood	329.8	161	694	28	16.03
Gray	361.5	117	644	40	16.10
Emmeline	329.8	161	694	28	16.10
Smith	342.3	170	819	24	16.87
Smith (J.)	351.4	187	1267	67	18.91
Matthews (A. D.)	285	141	760	41	18.52
James	285	141	760	41	18.52
J. C. Clay	383.4	131	764	30	19.58
A. G. Pelham	198.2	55	407	25	19.88
Freeman	314.4	171	1091	79	20.18
Voe	331.4	68	862	42	20.52
Mitchell (T. H.)	362.5	83	1127	54	20.87
Sibbles	421	100	830	40	20.75
Parker (J.)	350.4	128	630	29	21.72
Mayer	317.4	67	743	34	21.85

AUSTRALIANS.

	Inns.	not out.	Runs	High.	Aver.
S. J. McCabe	13	2	1027	240	93.36
W. H. Foxford	12	2	827	211	85.30
A. G. Chipperfield	13	2	827	211	85.30
D. G. Bradman	12	0	694	206	57.83
A. H. Barnett	8	0	507	114	63.37
W. A. Brown	12	0	598	110	49.83
W. M. Woodfull	11	1	361	172	36.10
L. A. Ebeling	15	1	460	108	34.71
W. A. Oldfield	12	1	107	67	32.17
A. P. Kippax	9	1	234	89	29.25
W. J. O'Reilly	9	0	127	56	21.50
E. H. Bromley	8	0	170	66	21.25
C. V. Grimmett	8	2	122	39	20.33
T. W. Wall	4	1	84	24	11.33
H. Ebeling	2	0	66	37	9.42
L. O'Brien	2	0	66	37	9.42

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Aver.
W. J. O'Reilly	425.3	169	893	58	15.34
C. V. Grimmett	189	147	908	59	15.31
H. Ebeling	216.2	60	428	22	19.35
L. O'Brien	224.8	81	755	35	21.57
T. W. Wall	103	47	630	20	24.80
A. G. Chipperfield	87.5	23	254	4	45.53
L. O'Brien	116	14	148	3	49.33
S. J. McCabe	107	23	310	6	51.66
E. H. Bromley	34	4	146	1	146.00
A. P. Kippax	2	0	0	0	0.00

LARWOOD'S "MOONSHINE"

SIR S. JACKSON AND LORD HAILSHAM ON WON'T PLAY SENSATION

Sir Stanley Jackson, Chairman of the English Selection Committee for the Test matches, and Lord Hailsham, a member of the M.C.C. Committee, made vigorous statements in reply to a sensational declaration by Harold Larwood, the Nottingham bowler, that he would not again play against the Australians.

In his original statement Larwood alleged that there is a political conspiracy "to keep him out of big cricket," and charged the M.C.C. with "giving way" to those Australians who are "afraid" to stand up to his fast leg-theory bowling.

"A GROSS DISCOURTESY."

Mr. A. W. Carr, the Nottingham captain, and Voe, his county colleague, have published statements supporting Larwood.

Sir Stanley Jackson said: "I feel very sorry and grieved that Larwood should have put his signature to such a statement,

"THE MATTER IS CLOSED."

When the attention of Mr. H. Bushby, the Australian team manager, was drawn to Larwood's statement, he said: "We have had a very happy tour to date, and I do not intend to be drawn into any controversy upon a matter which we look upon as closed."

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE DRAW

THREE CENTURIES SCORED

BATSMEN RIGHT ON TOP

ELEVEN HUNDRED RUNS HIT

London, July 11. For the third successive year, the Oxford and Cambridge cricket match, played at Lord's has been left drawn.

Oxford gained a slight advantage on the first innings of a tall-scoring match, but in the end, Cambridge had fully recovered their position, and there was nothing to choose between the teams.

Three centuries were registered, while a fourth player just failed to reach the coveted three figures by six runs.

BRILLIANT BATTING.

Batting first Oxford put together 415.—C. H. Townsend—of New College compiled a brilliant 193, and was associated with F. H. G. Chalk, the Oxonian captain, in a prolific partnership. Chalk himself hit up 108 before dismissal.

Cambridge faced a stiff task with rare confidence and found run-getting equally as easy. Led by A. W. Allen who scored 115 and G. W. Parker who contributed 94, they reached within 15 runs of the Oxford total before the last wicket fell.

Oxford did not show up so well in the second innings, and were dismissed for 182, but there was never any time for a definite result.

TO-DAY'S BOWLS.

CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH POSTPONED.

Owing to the fact that Mr. W. C. Simpson is in hospital, the match between he and W. G. L. in the singles bowls championship, arranged for this afternoon, has been postponed.

result, and Cambridge played out time, scoring 94 for three wickets. At the close they were 103 runs behind with seven wickets in hand.—*Reuter*.

AGGREGATE RESULTS.

Ninety-seven Inter-Varsity cricket matches have now been played since 1827, of which Cambridge have won 44, Oxford have won 38, and 15 have been drawn.

Oxford last won in 1931, while the last Cambridge success was in 1930.

Results for the last ten years have been as follows:

1924 Cambridge won 9 wickets
1925 Match drawn
1926 Cambridge won 34 runs
1927 Cambridge won 116 runs
1928 Match drawn
1929 Match drawn
1930 Cambridge won 205 runs
1931 Oxford won 8 wickets
1932 Match drawn
1933 Match drawn
1934 Match drawn.



A. Kippax.

LEAGUE BASEBALL

WINS FOR GIANTS AND YANKEES

SENATORS ROUTED BY DETROIT

New York, July 11. Small scores featured to-day's return to Major League baseball. Five runs was the top score in the National League programme, when the Giants nosed out Pittsburgh, and Chicago Cubs beat Boston Braves in a double header.

The American League programme was restricted to two games. The Yankees overcame Cleveland Indians, but Washington Senators were routed by Detroit, who rattled up 13 runs.

Full scores as enabled by *Reuter* were.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburgh	2	6	0
New York	3	7	0
(Bill Terry homered).			
Cincinnati	2	9	4
Brooklyn	5	11	1
Chicago	3	5	0
Boston	1	9	0
(Berger homered).			
Chicago	2	8	1
Boston	1	3	1
St. Louis	2	8	3
(Delancey homered).			
Philadelphia	5	8	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	9	7	0
(Dickey hit two home runs).			
Cleveland	4	7	6
Washington	7	12	1
Detroit	13	15	0

HOCKEY

Some Changes in Rules

Several minor alterations to rules were approved at the annual meeting of the International Hockey Board, held in London, the most notable, perhaps, concerning the penalty for a breach of the roll-in rule.

In the former rules the penalty for any player, apart from the roller-in, was that the roll-in should be taken again, unless an infringement was covered by Rule 14 (c), wherein the umpire was empowered not to cause delay with the roll-in should a player remain within the seven yards line or outside the side line so as to gain time. The old penalty still stands, but with the addition that "but for persistent breaches a free hit may be awarded to the opposing team."

The other changes really clarify existing rules, though sub-clause "e" of Rule 4, which reads "flag posts shall be not less than four feet high," has been deleted and included in sub-clause "b" of Rule 6. A slight alteration has been made to the plan of the ground, the addition reading: "Lines must be drawn at right angles to the goal lines at points five yards and ten yards from each goal post, and three yards from each corner post, and to the side lines at points three yards from each corner post, for use in the taking of corner hits."

The attention of the Board was called to complaints which had been received regarding sticks which did not comply with the rules, and that some of the illegal sticks bore stamp stating that they did comply with the rules of the Board. Manufacturers are to have their attention called to the matter, and to be asked to make every endeavour to see that sticks issued do comply with the rules.

ENGLISH WIGHTMAN CUP DEBACLE

How America Won

SPECIAL DESCRIPTION BY H. S. SCRIVENER

Smashing Defeat Of 7-4 Favourites

Britain's defeat in the Wightman Cup at Wimbledon last month was a big sensation. The Challengers took the courts no less than 7-4 favourites, but the English girls failed badly in the singles. Below, the two days' play is fully described by Mr. H. S. Scrivener, the tennis correspondent of the *Morning Post*.

Our two leading singles players, Miss Scriven and Miss Round, both failed to do what—I have no hesitation in saying—was expected of them, and it remained for the two newcomers to England's team, Miss Deane and Miss Lyle, to save their country from being in the horrible position of three down with four to go when the second day's play starts to-day.

Miss Palfrey v. Miss Round, with which the proceedings opened, was just a mediocre match which occasionally rose above the level of mediocrity. Although Miss Palfrey won, her play was by no means free from blunders, but she was sounder in every department of the game than Miss Round. Her backhand side play was extraordinarily good.

GOOD HEAD-WORK.

Added to this she used her head well, and her judgment was invariably good even if her execution was at fault. Because of this, her volleying—at which she proved wonderfully adept—stood her in good stead. Her weak spot was her forehand drive from anywhere to the right of half-way across to the forehand side. Miss Round proved this several times, but failed to realise the significance of it. She seemed content to attack Miss Palfrey's backhand in the ordinary everyday manner, and only rarely was there anything very deadly in the way in which she attacked it.

She was remarkably slow in her movement so that her volleying attacks were too often wholly ineffectual. But she had her spell of good play, particularly in the second set, which she won, and it is greatly to her credit that she never gave up trying, although it seemed to me that she was very tired some time before the match finished.

TRAGIC FINAL SET.

The opening play was distinctly tame. Miss Round led by 3-1 for no particular reason and then proceeded to lose six games in a row, playing poor tennis most of the time. However, she managed by raising her game to something like its proper level to go ahead from 0-1 down in the second set to 3-1 and this success seemed to carry her on, mainly, it must be confessed, on Miss Palfrey's errors, at 6-3.

The final set was rather tragic from an English point of view. Miss Round might have led by 2-0, but lost the second game after getting to 0-10 on Miss Palfrey's service. Then Miss Palfrey got her knife in and led up to 6-4 with her service to follow.

Here Miss Round made her best effort. She won the 10th game, against the service with a fine lob which made her 15-30 and brought off a fine pass down the forehand line for game. She was ahead on her own service at 6-5 and we began to breathe again. But Miss Palfrey won down to 6-5, after America had had her safely enough and then hit a set point in the 9th game, and go back by capturing Miss Round's.

In going out triumphantly at 7-5.

WIGHTMAN CUP



This picture, taken on the centre court at Wimbledon, shows Princess Helena, Victoria, presenting the Wightman Cup to Miss Helen Jacobs, at the conclusion of the international tennis match between the American and English women's teams. The Americans won quite comfortably, although England started at firm favourites.

SECOND DAY'S PLAY

DEFEAT OF MISS SCRIVEN

In Saturday's encounter Miss Round was a different person from the Miss Round who lost somewhat tamely to Miss Palfrey on Friday, but Miss Jacobs played her usual cool and collected game, and it sufficed to ensure a win, which was in actual fact a narrow one. Of course she was occasionally beaten outright, especially when Miss Round made good at the net; but her extraordinary power of anticipation not only enabled her to return some of her opponent's hardest shots with safety, but also saved her a good deal of running. There was something inexorable about the way in which she trotted about and chopped the ball in such a way as to keep Miss Round repeatedly on the run and so gradually undermine her strength.

Miss Jacobs won Miss Round's service to love for 3-1 in the first set, and although she lost her own she won well ahead 6-2 and 6-2. A brave counter-attack by the English girl carried her to 4-5, with her own service to follow; in it she saved two set points and was herself within a point of 5-6, but Miss Jacobs was out at 0-4 on the third set point.

In spite of this disappointment, Miss Round continued to hit courageously. She won a long and well-played game against the service in the second set for 2-1 after Miss Jacobs had had four "vantages," and Miss Round went on to get within a point of victory, but Miss Jacobs' service just prevailed. Then came a fateful game for Miss Round. She lost her service on the volley by two young women who were delightfully on their toes all the time, they were sounder, speaking quite generally, when it came to taking the ball off the floor.

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THE DOUBLES.

The doubles match, in which Miss Deane and Miss Lyle beat Miss Scriven and Miss Round, was a very good scrap. Both sides favoured the front-and-back formation without adhering to it too rigorously, and there were plenty of "both up" bouts to furnish additional liveliness.

Miss Deane was the volleyer-in-chief on Great Britain's side, and Miss Scriven on the other, and the main reason why our pair won was that even if they were at times outplayed on the volley by two young women who were delightfully on their toes all the time, they were sounder, speaking quite generally, when it came to taking the ball off the floor.

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In going out triumphantly at 7-5.



Three interesting studies of Miss Dorothy Re and taken at the end of her exhausting match with Miss Helen Jacobs in the Wightman Cup. Below players were "played out," and these photographs show Miss Round recovering.

SWIMMING INTERPORT INVITATION FROM SHANGHAI

RENEWAL OF ERSTWHILE CONTESTS DESIRED

V.R.C. TO HOLD A MEETING THIS EVENING

An invitation has been received by the Victoria Recreation Club from the Shanghai Swimming Association for a local team to be sent north for the renewal of the annual interport galas between the two ports.

Last year, owing to the formation of the Hongkong International Amateur Swimming Association, Shanghai declined to accept either of the invitations sent from the V. R. C. and the Association but subsequently the Foreign Y.M.C.A. team, which included practically all the best swimmers in the northern port, accepted an invitation to a contest and appeared in Hongkong prior to visiting and after returning from Manila.

During the course of the year, it will be recalled, the Shanghai Association wrote to the V. R. C., intimating that the northerners would resume interport swimming, with the V. R. C. making all the local arrangements. A meeting has been called for this evening at the V. R. C., and representatives from various clubs in Hongkong have been asked to attend to consider the invitation.

Y.M.C.A. GALA

List of Entries for Saturday's Event

There has been a much better response to the Y.M.C.A. gala, which is to be held on Saturday next. Last month the event had to be cancelled owing to insufficient entries.

An interesting programme has been arranged, with the Inter Hong Relay Team forming the main attraction of the evening. Messrs. Jardines, Matheson, Hongkong Bank and the Kowloon Dock will be entering teams, and it is hoped to receive entries from Union Insurance and Hongkong Electric also.

The list of entries is as follows: Men's 50 Yards Aggregate Handicap—Heat 1, F. Dunnell, A. Moss, A. Mitchell, C. Cord and F. Fowler; Heat 2, F. Fowler, R. Oldfield, F. Fowler and C. A. Higgins; Heat 3, C. L. Aris, J. Anslow, R. Goldman and A. G. Donn.

Ladies' 50 Yards Aggregate Handicap—J. Wilson, A. Fowler, J. Weller, Mrs. M. Read and Mrs. A. C. Schreuder.

Men's 50 Yards Backstroke Scratch.—A. G. Donn, J. Anslow, G. H. Fowler and H. F. Lange, Jr.

Hong Team Race (Teams of four

25 Yards each). Men's Back, Breast and Free Style 75 Yards Scratch—H. G. Lange, R. B. Wood, F. F. Selk and W. J. Munro. Men's Pillow Fight—A. G. Donn v. H. F. Lange, Jr.; A. H. Moss v. G. Fowler; F. Fowler v. M. G. Lange; C. Casson v. C. L. Aris; F. Dunnell v. B. Wood.

150 Yards Mixed Relay (Teams of Six)—A. G. Donn, W. F. Selk, R. Oldfield, W. G. Jenkins, F. Dunnell, Mrs. M. Read, H. G. Lange, R. B. Wood, A. C. Higgins, C. Cord, A. Mitchell, Mrs. Schreuder, R. Goldman, E. F. Selk, C. L. Aris, F. Fowler, A. H. Moss and Miss J. Weller. Water-Polo.—Y.M.C.A. (H. F. Lange, Jr.; H. G. Lange (Capt.) and A. C. Higgins; A. G. Donn; R. Goldman; W. A. Schreuder and F. Fowler) v. Hongkong European Civil Service (S. Fowler, R. Mitchell, W. Simpson, W. F. Kerr, G. Fowler, W. Lawrence, K. Jenner and R. B. Wood).

SCHOOL SPORTS

Diocesan Boys Hold Meeting

The Diocesan Boys' School held their first Annual Inter-house Swimming Sports at Gin-Drinkers Bay on Tuesday afternoon, Yellow House winning by the narrow margin of 3 points over Blue House.

C. Wirth (Blue) led with 13 points, while J. Dudley (Yellow) was second with 10 points in the individual championship.

Results were as follows: 50 Yards Free Style (Senior).—1, J. Dudley (Yellow); 2, A. J. Hulke (Green); 3, A. Daniels (Blue). 50 Yards Free Style (Junior).—1, D. Hall (Brown); 2, Sin Cho-yuen (Yellow); 3, J. Hall (Blue). 100 Yards Breast Stroke.—1, Cheung Sin-wah (Brown); 2, Lam Fook-ming (Blue); 3, J. Prettejohn (Brown).

25 Yards Back Stroke.—1, C. Wirth (Blue); 2, Ong Chong-su (Yellow); 3, J. Winyard (Green).

250 Yards Free Style.—1, J. Dudley (Yellow); 2, C. Wirth (Blue); 3, A. J. Hulke (Green).

Diving.—1, C. Wirth (Blue); 2,



One of the Fox's most important and entertaining productions is coming to the King's Theatre on Sunday, when "All Men Are Enemies", opens a run. Picture above shows Hug Williams and Herbert Mundin, both featured in the film, in a dramatic scene.

COLONY POLO.

South Wales Borderers Defeat Civilians.

The Lady Cup polo match played yesterday between the South Wales Borderers and the Civilians resulted in a win for the S.W.B. team, who returned seven goals to their opponents' four.

The teams were:

S.W.B.—Mr. D. P. Yates (back), Capt. J. C. Jordan (No. 3), Mr. A. Stocker (No. 2) and Capt. C. F. Blackden (No. 1);

Civilians.—Mr. H. V. Macnamara (back), Mr. B. L. Newbigging (No. 3), Mr. W. J. Kenwick (No. 2) and Mr. G. Paylor (No. 1).

Cheung Sin-wah (Brown); 3, Kwik Pen-tong (Yellow).

Relay.—1, Yellow House; 2, Blue House; 3, Brown House.

Final Standings:

1, Yellow 27 points
2, Blue 24 points
3, Brown 16 points
4, Green 5 points

GARRISON SPORTS MEETINGS.

On Thursday and Friday next, commencing at 2.30 p.m. on each day the East Lancashire Regiment will hold their aquatic sports in the Y.M.C.A. bath.

The Garrison Schools have fixed annual swimming gala for the afternoon of Friday, September 21 next. The meeting will be held at the Y.M.C.A. Kowloon.

English Wightman Cup Debacle

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ten minutes. Miss Scriven played the first set of her match with Miss Palfrey really well. If Miss Palfrey had not been helped by a rather lucky half-volley Miss Scriven might conceivably have led by 5-3. However, from 4-4 she won Miss Palfrey's service for 5-4 and was out on her own. Good enough. For I ought to mention straight away that Miss Palfrey (as may have been gathered from something I have already said) is a beautiful server in spite of her comparative shortness of stature. The second set was even up to a point; but Miss Scriven made little or no effort to get on terms after losing her service, to give Miss Palfrey the 4-2 lead; this was hardly judicious.

THOSE THREE SERVICE ACES. I have already outlined the debacle of the third set. Miss Scriven could not be blamed for losing the seventh game, in which she only wanted a point for the match by 6-1, for those three service aces of Miss Palfrey's would have beaten anybody; but it seems a pity that she could not devise some method of winning one of the next three games. On the other hand, it must be freely conceded that Miss Palfrey rose to the occasion magnificently and played great tennis. A metaphorical ray of sunshine peeped through the lowering clouds when Miss Scriven, 5-6 down, won her service to love, but Miss Palfrey won hers to love likewise, and then proceeded to clinch the next game and everything else in thoroughly workmanlike fashion.

I am, unfortunately perhaps, not one of those people who can conjure up enthusiasm for a Davis Cup or a Wightman Cup match which does not matter. I saw Miss Nuthall beat Miss Dabcock, and was unmoved even when, although the better player, she looked at one time as if she was not going to. But I regret very much that that rousing double in which Miss Jacobs and Miss Palfrey beat Mrs. Godfrey and Miss Nuthall was compelled by force of circumstances to "waste its sweetness on the desert air." But for Miss Scriven's untoward defeat this match, thanks to Miss Nuthall's win and to that of Miss Dearman and Miss Lyle on Friday, might have been the decided of the whole contest. Saturday's results were:

TENNIS WIN FOR K.C.C.

"C" Division Points From K.D.R.C.

Playing at home yesterday in their postponed "C" Division Lawn Tennis League fixture, the Kowloon Dock Recreation Club were defeated by the Kowloon Cricket Club by 6½ sets to 2½, the majority of games being evenly contested.

Scores were:

C. E. Millard and A. Duncan (Kowloon Docks):—

beat A. E. Collins and R. S. Capell 7-5

drew with S. V. Gittins and G. S. Smith 6-6

beat F. A. Broadbridge and J. Crawford 6-1

W. Tillery and G. H. White (Kowloon Docks):—

lost to Collins and Capell 2-6

lost to Gittins and Smith 4-6

Crawford 5-7

J. P. White and A. Pearson (Kowloon Dock):—

lost to Collins and Capell 1-6

lost to Gittins and Smith 1-6

lost to Broadbridge and Crawford 4-6

WATER LEVELS.

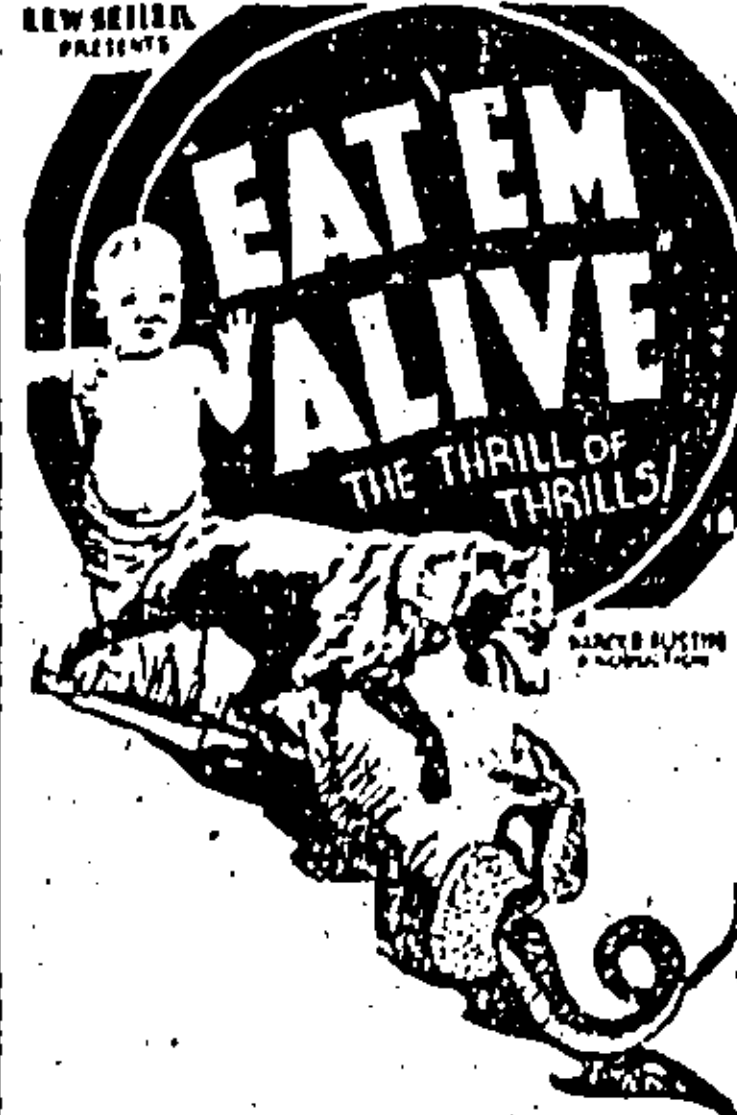
FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province notifies that the height of water in English feet in the West, North and East Rivers is as follows:

	July 10	July 11
West River at Shuihing	12.2	12.9
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North River at Samshui	6.7	7.3
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being landed and placed at their risk
in the Godowns of the Hongkong
Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon,
whence delivery can be obtained as
the goods are landed.Goods not cleared within 7 days
including date of arrival, will be
subject to rent.All claims must be sent to the
undersigned before Monday, 16th
July, 1934, or they will not be
recognized.Damaged Packages must be left in
the Godowns for examination by the
consignees, and the Company's Surveyor
Messrs. Goddard and Douglas
at 10.00 a.m. on Thursday, the 12th
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Hongkong, 6th July, 1934.

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goods are to be left in the Godown,
where they will be examined by
Messrs. Anderson and Ashe on the
16th July, 1934, at 10 a.m.
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July 19, 1934, at 10 a.m. by Messrs.
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"CHIN CHINS" FROM BOB WOOLSEY

SENDS MESSAGE TO HONGKONG

BY RONNIE TRUE

Robert Woolsey, the famous
cinema comedian, still has a
warm spot for Hongkong.He has sent cordial greetings to
the Colony through Mr. Ronnie
True, leader of the popular "Cheer-
o" Dance Band, who met the
inimitable Robert and his wife
in Hollywood last month.In a letter to a member of the
Telegraph staff, Mr. True says:
"Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woolsey
ask me to convey to the 'News-
paper Boys' to the Hongkong
Jockey Club, and to their many
friends in Hongkong, their best
wishes. My wife and I saw
them early last month, and they
both have the liveliest re-
collections of the happy days
spent in Hongkong and Kow-
loon."Mr. and Mrs. True, who made
Hollywood a stopping place on
their way to England, apparently
"did" the film colony in a most
adequate manner.

ASSAULTS WOOLSEY!

Mr. True describes his meeting
with Woolsey in the following
terms:—"We had dinner in 'The
Brown Derby,' Hollywood, and the
only celebrity we recognised was
Woolsey himself! I went over and
assaulted him and he liked it. It
was Wheeler who was in New York."According to Mr. True, Wheeler
and Woolsey have just finished a
film believed to be called "The
Two Cavaliers.""It is something or other about
cavaliers," explains Ronnie, "but
I cannot recall the exact title."

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the
London Stock Exchange have been
received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson
and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters.
Chinese Bonds.

July 10 July 11.		
4½% Bonds 1898	£101½	£101½
(Eng. Iss.)	£91½	£91½
4½% Loan 1908	£91½	£91½
5% Loan 1912	£70	£70½
5% Reorg. Loan	£94	£94
5% (Ldn. Iss.)	£91½	£91½
5% Bond 1925	£91½	£91½
5% Shai-Nanking	£66½	£66
Rly.	£33	£33
5% Tient-Pukow	£25	£25
Rly.	£25	£25
5% Shai-Hchow	£98½	£99
Ningpo Rly.	£30	£30
5% Honan Rly.	£34½	£35½
5% Lukang Rly.	£16	£16
5% Lung Tsing U.	£63	£59½
Hai Rly, 1918	£73½	£73½
Foreign Bonds and Banks.		
German 7% Int.	£86½	£86½
Loan 1924	£86½	£86½
Japan 6% Sterling	£86½	£86½
Loan 1907	£86½	£86½
Loan 1924	£86½	£86½
H.K. & Shai Bk.	£133½	£134
(Ldn. Regd.)	£16½	£16½
Chartered Bk. 25 sh.	£16½	£16½
Industries and Breweries.		
Associated Elec.	18/9	18/9
Industries	120/-	120/-
British-Amer. Tob.	18/-	18/-
(Beaver)	90/-	90/3
Chinese Eng. and	50/6	50/4½
Min. (Beaver)	30/-	30/6
Tate & Lyle	46/6	46/9
Courtaulds	28/9	28/9
Distillers	44/9	44/3
Dunlop Rubber	36/7½	36/1½
Eveready 5/- sh.	8/9	8/9
General Electric	126½	126½
(England)	103/3	103/3
Boots	\$25½	\$26
Impl. Chem. Ind.	39/3	37/6
Def. 10/- sh.	47/9	47/6
Impl. Tobacco	22/3	22/3
Woolworths		
Internat. Nickel		
no par val.		
Pinchin Johnson		
10/- sh.		
Turner & Newall		
Unilever		

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

HOLLAND-OOST AZIE LIJN.
(HOLLAND-EAST ASIA LINE).From ANTWERP, BREMEN,
ROTTERDAM, AMSTERDAM,
HAMBURG, GENOA, &
OTHER PORTS.The Steamship,
"GROOTEKERK"having arrived from the above ports,
consignees of cargo by her are notified
that all goods are being landed at
their risk into the hazardous and/or
extra-hazardous Godowns of Holt's
Wharf, whence and/or from the wharf
delivery may be obtained.Goods not cleared by the 15th July,
1934, p.m. will be subject to rent.All broken, chafed and damaged
packages are to be left in the Godowns,
where they will be examined at
Holt's Wharf.Consignees are requested to apply
for a Revenue Officer in attendance
when damaged dutiable cargoes are
being examined.Claims against the steamer must be
presented in writing within ten days
after arrival of steamer, otherwise
they will not be recognized.No Fire Insurance will be effected
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"STAY OUT OF MY LIFE!"

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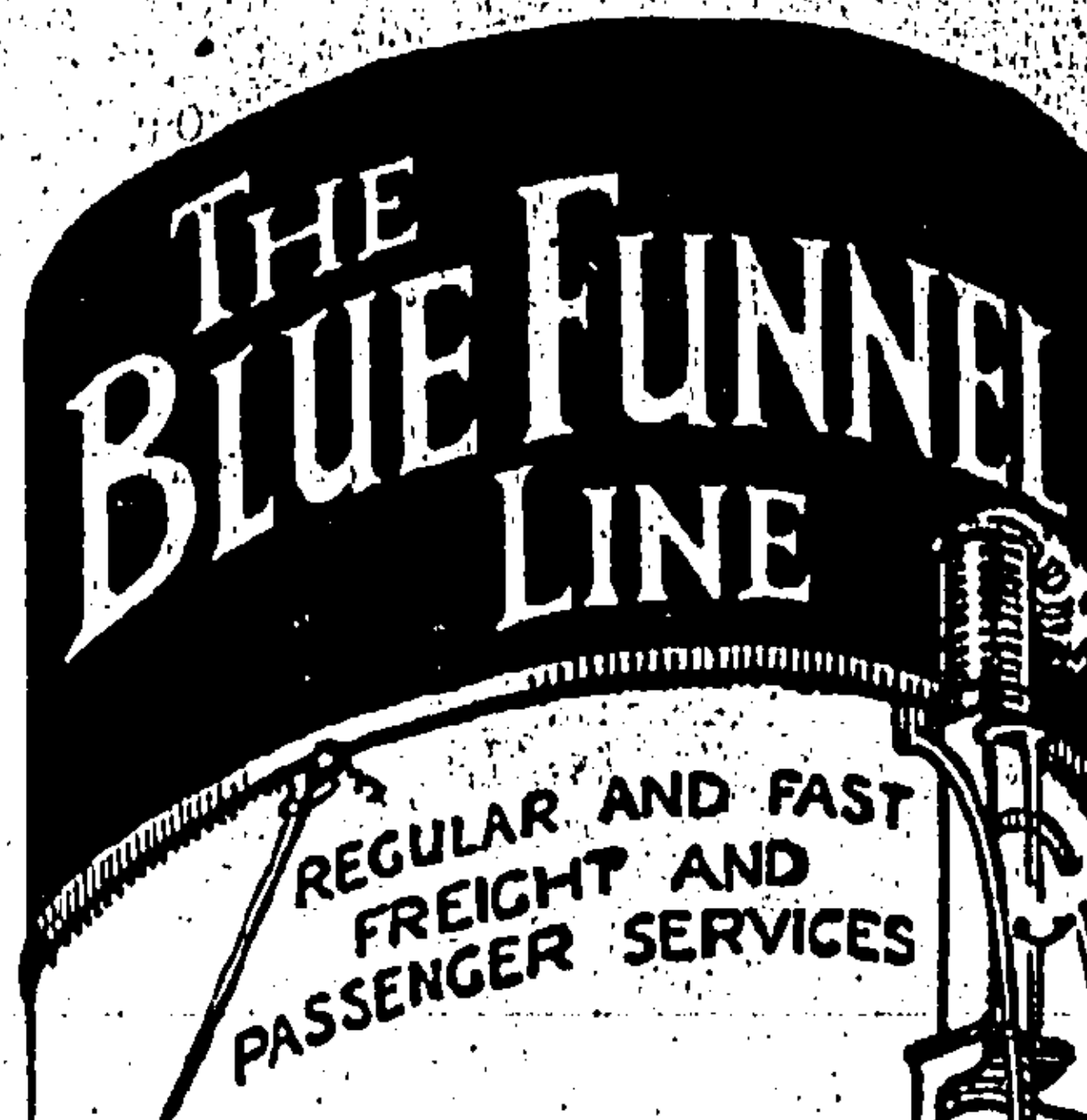
a minute. I want to look along
the elms."

"What on earth for?"

"I don't know. They stand
there so grandly and their shade's
so light and free instead of solid
like the maples." I like to remem-
ber them when I'm playing
Schumann's 'Papillons'—they've got
some rhythm.""I thought you told me the
other day nobody ought to talk of
one art in terms of another.""Looking at elms isn't an art,"
Amy said it dreamily, still regard-
ing the trees.Jane was impatient. "Oh, do
come on! I forgot to tell you
Aunt Rosa said Henry Berwyn was
fearfully dumb and that it must
have been a chore to talk to him."Amy joined her. "Henry is
dumb. His grade in dumbness is
A plus. What did you talk about
anyway?""He was arguing with me to stop
smoking cigarettes. But I made
him give me two packs. I don't
know why all the men in this town
have to be so deadly.""They're not. Don't you like
Edgar Moreland and Vanny Hough?
They're all right." Even as she
spoke Amy remembered, too late,
that neither Edgar nor Vanny
liked Jane. They said she was
conceited and queer. However,
Amy was sure Jane knew how they
felt toward her and Jane's reply
confirmed this, for it was blandly
condescending."They're not so bad, I suppose,
but they're nothing extra. It isn't
that I want more men around.
Amy," Jane spoke as if hands of
ardent swains were blocking the
pavements. "It's the whole town.
It's living here."

(To Be Continued.)

Miscellaneous.		
Anglo-Dutch	25/7½	25/0
Burma Corp. Rs.	13/3	13/1½
10		
Canadian Pacific	13½	14½
Rly. 25 sh.	22/-	22/-
Charter. 10/- sh.	24/3	24/9
(Beaver)	11/9	11/7½
Gala Kalumpeng	31/6	31/6
Rubber	13/3	13/3
Trepas Mines	2/-	2/-
Langkat	34/9	35/-
Estates	53/-	53/-
London Tin 10/-	63/1½	63/1½
sh.		
Pekin Synd.	28/1½	20/-
ord. sh.		
Rubber Trusts	47/6	47/6
Shai Elec. Contar.	81/3	81/3
Van Ryn Deep	26/6	26/1½
Electric Musical	£20½	£20½
Industries	48/9	48/9
Oil	28/1½	27/6
Anglo-Persian Oil	246/3	240/3
Burma Oil		
Southern Railway		
(Defered)		
Royal Dutch 100		
fl. sh.		
Shell Trans and		
Trad. (Beaver)		
Goldenhuis		
Crown Mines		



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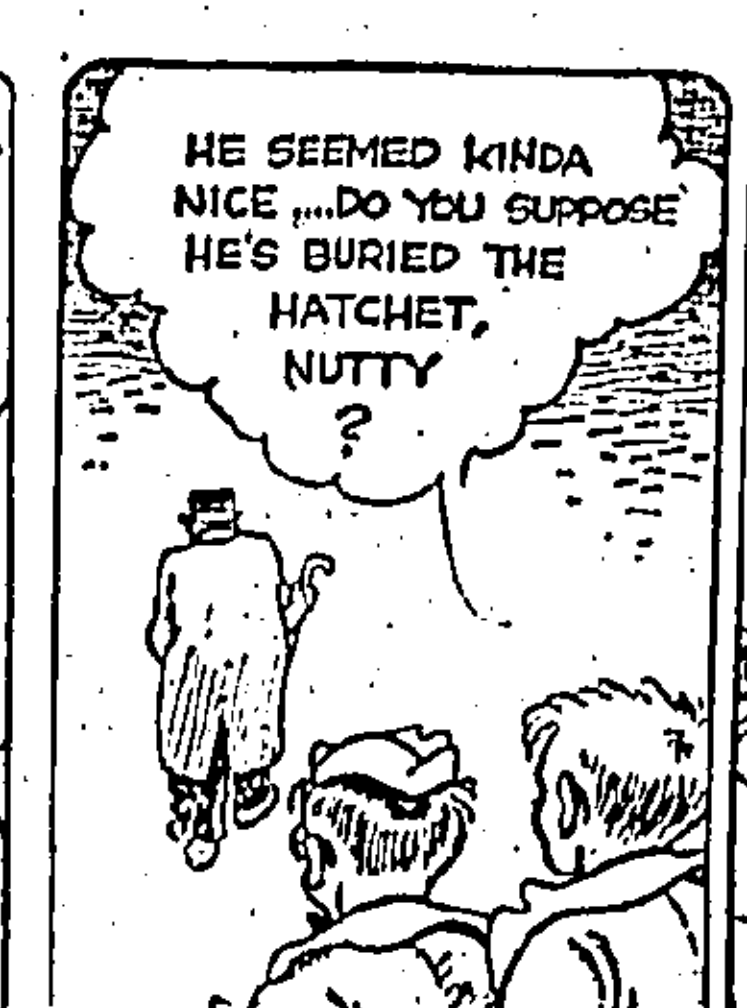
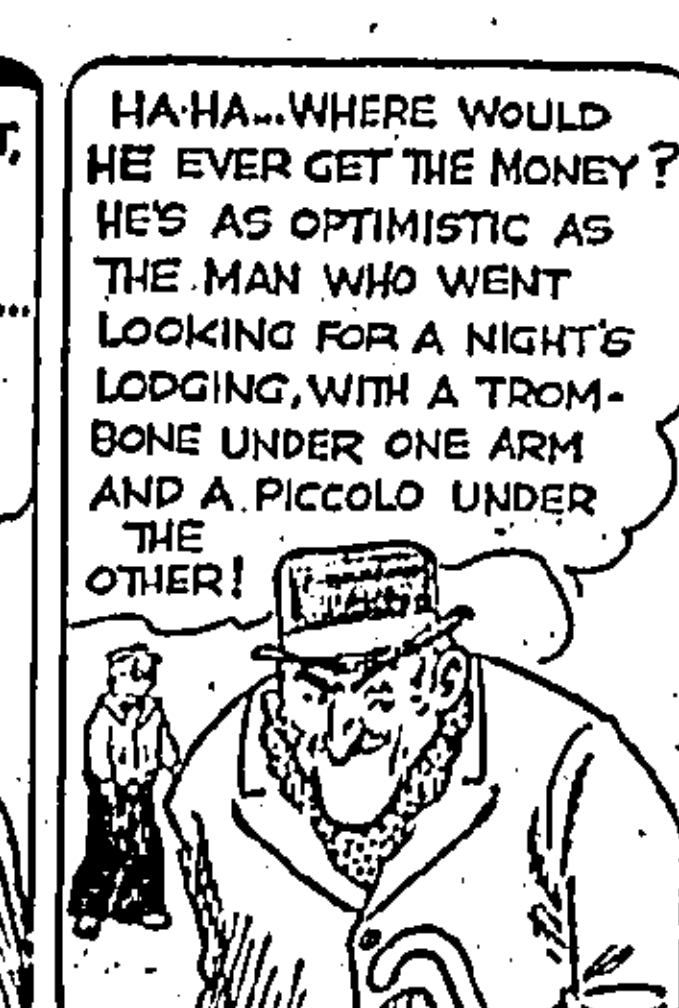
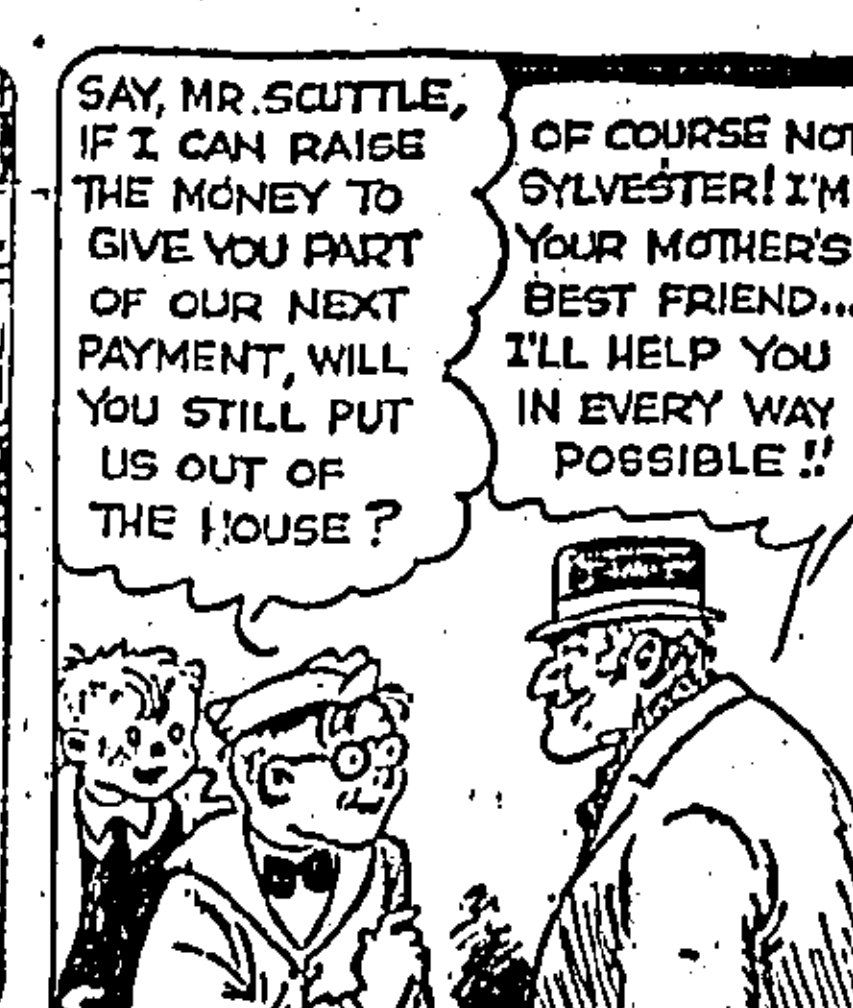
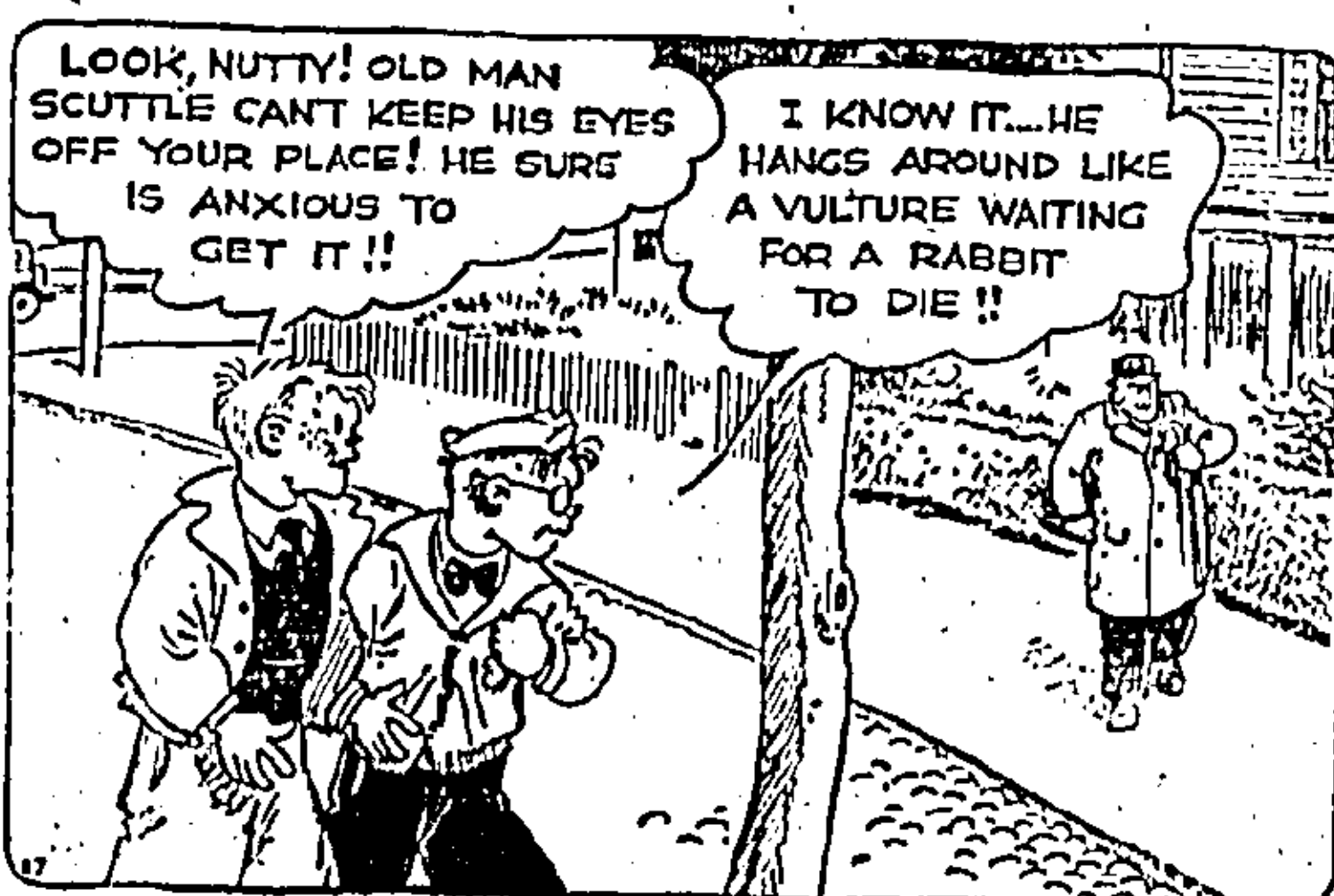
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By W. E. McKenney

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	♠ A K 5		♥ A		♦ A K 7 5 2		♣ A K 3
	♥ A				♣ Q 7 2		
	♠ A K 7 5 2		♥ Q 7 2				
♠ J 10 9 2			♥ Q 7 6				
♥ None			♥ J 9 8 4				
♠ 10 6 4			♣ Q 9 3				
♠ 10 8 6			♠ A K J				
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BOUNTY FOR CATTLE

MR. WALTER ELLIOT'S NEW SCHEME

REORGANISING AGRICULTURE

London, July 11. Mr. Walter Elliot, Minister of Agriculture, announced in the Commons to-night that an emergency measure would be introduced forthwith providing for the payment in a rate not exceeding 5/- per live hundred-weight and 9/4d. per hundred-weight deadweight, to the producers of certain classes of cattle sold for slaughter in the United Kingdom between April 1st, 1934, and March 31st 1935. Payments would be made from a "Cattle fund" and authority would be sought without delay for making temporary advances to that fund from a consolidation fund of an amount not exceeding £3,000,000.

IMMEDIATE SCHEME.
Mr. Elliot stated that the problem had been approached by the Government with the intention of framing proposals which could be brought into operation immediately to deal with the beef situation and would lead up to the formation of a permanent policy. Government were of the opinion that a plan based on a levy on regulated imports and payments to English producers afforded the best long-term solution and one which would hold the balance evenly between the producer and the consumer.

LONG-TERM PLAN.
Government would, therefore, hope in its long-term plan to establish, and render into the control and management of, a Permanent Commission, a fund

FIGHT OVER DEBT

VICTIM STILL IN HOSPITAL

Following a fight over a gambling debt, Yeung Koo, before Mr. Macdonald this morning, was charged with maliciously wounding Wong Sang, causing grievous bodily harm. Detective Sergeant J. Shepherd applied for 48 hours' remand in Police custody, as complainant was still in hospital. Defendant pleaded guilty, but stated that the complainant struck him first.

Into which would be paid, in due course, the proceeds of such levy and out of which would be paid such payments to producers of livestock in United Kingdom as might be justified by the market situation and as might from time to time be determined.

It would be an essential function of the Commission, to cooperate with any producers' marketing organisation and other interests concerned in the reform of the marketing and slaughtering system with a view to greater economy and efficiency, which was indispensable to the further prosperity of the livestock industry.

ABSENCE OF CONSENT.

Discussion with representatives of the Governments of the Dominions and the Argentine had been opened but in the absence of consent to proposals for a levy, the only action open to the Government so far as the imports of meat was concerned was by the further regulation of supplies, designed first to hold the position for the time being and secondly to bring about a material improvement in the market position.

Action on an extended scale would present problems of a serious nature to certain Dominion Governments and in view of this United Kingdom Government were anxious to allow time for further examination of the situation before determining the extent of the action.—*British Wireless.*

NAVAL ACTION POSSIBLE

FISHING RIGHTS OFF NORWAY

MR. EDEN GIVES ASSURANCE

London, July 11. Naval action is promised in the event of further interference by Norway with British fishing in international waters.

The Lord Privy Seal, Mr. Anthony Eden, to-day received from a delegation of the Hull Trawler Owners' Guild, at the Foreign Office, representations for protection against interference by the Norwegian authorities with the activities of British trawlers outside the three mile-limit off the Norwegian coast.

Resolutions requesting the Government to take immediate steps with the Norwegian Government to define the limit of international waters at three miles from low water mark and to ensure that such agreement would be honoured by the local authorities were presented.

NAVAL AID.
Mr. Eden expressed the greatest sympathy with the case put forward and said that within the last six weeks very strong representations had been made by His Majesty's Minister at Oslo to the Norwegian Government and a reply was expected very shortly.

If it were not satisfactory, or if no reply were received within a limited time, the Government were fully prepared to afford naval protection, certainly up to the limit mentioned in the agreement of November last, and possibly up to the three mile-limit.

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